

A SURGICAL DORMITORY

One Will be Built at Once in Connection With River Pines Sanatorium; Also New Residence.

Within the next few months between \$15,000 and \$20,000 will have been expended in additional buildings now in process of erection on the River Pines Sanatorium grounds, just south of this city. A new residence, located just east of the Dr. Hay home, is well under way, and when completed will be occupied by Dr. F. E. Walbridge and family, who will move here from Milwaukee. Dr. Walbridge is one of the best practitioners of the Cream City, and has long been connected with Columbia and other hospitals there. He comes here to take charge of a new surgical dormitory, ground for which has been broken, and will be built just west of the sanatorium club house. This hospital or dormitory will be for tuberculosis patients and operations only, and not a general hospital as some were inclined to believe.

The surgical dormitory will be built on the porch type, that is each of the sixteen rooms for patients it will contain will have a porch in connection. There will also be an operating room, the same to be supplied with tile floors and every convenience for thorough sterilizing. The building will be three stories, 60x85 feet, supplied with an elevator, heated by hot water and contain all modern improvements. The residence, which will be two stories, will be 57x33 feet, veneered with brick, and also contain all modern improvements. B. V. Martin of this city has the contract for erecting both buildings and Jas. E. Sullivan & Co. will look after the heating and plumbing. Dr. Hay will probably keep a watchful eye on the workmen as the work progresses, but more than passing credit is due to Mrs. Hay, who drew the plans and prepared the specifications for both the residence and the dormitory.

To Become a Bride.

Many friends in this city will be interested in the announcement of the coming marriage of Miss Mamie Clifford, daughter of Mrs. M. Clifford of this city, to Blaine Bouldron of Kent, Wash. The ceremony will take place next week Tuesday, October 4th, and will be performed in the Catholic cathedral at Seattle at eight o'clock in the morning. The young couple will leave soon after on a wedding tour to Portland, Ore.

Miss Mamie has been living with her sister, Mrs. W. R. Smith, at Kent, Wash., for the past two years and has very capably filled the position of stenographer in the law offices of McLean & Balliet in Seattle. Kent is about midway between Seattle and Tacoma and is connected with both cities by the interurban line. The bride-to-be is a graduate of our high school and business college and possesses many accomplishments which will prove useful in her new life. Mr. Bouldron is a civil engineer, his parents are residents of Kent and he commands the esteem of all who know him. That their future may be as happy as the present outlook predicts, is the wish of many friends in this city.

STEVENS POINT NORMAL

Personal and Other Notes Gathered by The Gazette's Special Correspondent.

Prof. Hyer will conduct an institute at Grand Rapids, Friday and Saturday. Miss Johnson, the clerk and stenographer, has been in Milwaukee for the past few days.

The senior class has elected Wm. P. Dineen as editor of the Iris for 1911, and Thomas Olson was chosen as business manager. Work on the Iris will be commenced early this year, and it is expected that the class of 1911 will turn out a book equal in every way to last year's splendid volume.

Next Saturday the football team goes to Chippewa Falls to play the fast high school team. On the Saturday following the local high will clash with the Normal at the fair grounds. Other games so far arranged are with Oshkosh here on the 15th and a return game at Oshkosh on the 12th of November.

Miss Virginia O'Connell, sister to Miss Amelia O'Connell of the Normal faculty, entertained the school with a very interesting talk upon the Chicago play ground movement. Miss O'Connell has been intimately associated with this work in Chicago for several years and gave a very good description of the attempt to better the social conditions of the city.

Instead of the usual Tuesday afternoon talk, a musical program was carried out under the supervision of Miss Menaul, as follows:

Song "Dry Your Eyes"
Girls' Quartette
Misses Menaul, Young, Johnson and Davenport

Piano duet
Blanche Hill and Rosetta Johnson
Vocal Solo
Sadie Buck
Reading
Mildred Kelsey
Song "Last Rose of Summer"

The following will constitute the Pointer staff for the coming year:
Editor, Nugent Glennon; assistant editor, Myrtle Young; literary, Tenia McCallin; art, Mildred Kelsey; athletics, George M. Batty; music, Blanche E. Hill; wit and humor, Alice Keegan; exchange, Harrietta Mochrke; faculty, Clara Dylsland; sciences and arts, Lucille Davenport; seniors, Mabel Darms; juniors, Marie Poser; elements, Florence Billings; freshmen, Leah Butcher; forum, Thomas Olson; Athenaeum, William Hanson; Ohyesa, Myrtle Sitzer; arena, May Greening; W. C. A., Stella Wells; business manager, Fred W. Ambrose.

Married This Afternoon.

Pres. and Mrs. John F. Sims are at Colby today, going up to attend the wedding of their niece, Miss Hortense Salter, daughter of Judge and Mrs. R. B. Salter, who was married at 4 o'clock this afternoon to Chas. R. Freeman, of Menomonie, Wis. The ceremony was performed at the home of the bride's parents, Rev. J. A. Stemen of this city officiating, and was a family wedding. The groom is city attorney of Menomonie and the bride, who has many friends in Stevens Point, having visited here frequently, is a graduate of the River Falls Normal, after which she attended the state university.

FOR POETRY AND DRAMA

Woman's Club Planning for Lecture Course of Four Numbers to be Given This Winter.

The Stevens Point Woman's Club has practically decided to give a lecture course during the coming winter, the course to consist of four numbers under the general head of "Poetry and the Modern Drama."

Prof. John Seaman Gurns, director of the Lawrence School of Expression, will be heard in "The Poetry of the Common Heart," a lecture-recital showing the genesis of the poetry of the people and giving representative examples from the time of the old ballad poetry of England to the present day.

"The Epic Spirit in Poetry," is also a lecture-recital in which Prof. Edward A. Thompson will present Longfellow's Hiawatha with musical background. Prof. Thompson is a graduate of Bowdoin College, of the Emerson College of Oratory and the School of Expression, Boston. He has been engaged in lyceum work a couple of years.

Josephine Retz-Garns, a reader and accompanist of exceptional ability, will give the third number, presenting Maurice Maeterlinck's "The Blue Bird," in which is so beautifully symbolized the search of the human race for happiness.

F. Welsey Orr, professor of English and public speaking in Pacific university, will close the course with a literary-interpretation using as illustrative of certain characteristics of the American drama Charles Klein's "The Music Master."

Tickets for the four entertainments will be offered at \$1.00 and there is little doubt that the seating capacity of Grand Opera House will be sold.

High School Notes.

David Weltman, class '10, visited school one afternoon last week. Committees are hard at work soliciting material and money for the fair and supper, which is to be given in the H. S. building on Friday evening, Oct. 7th.

A week from Friday a fair and supper will be given for the benefit of the Athletic association. The association has suffered several losses lately and it is the duty of every Stevens Pointer to attend. Besides the supper, several vaudeville and plays will be given.

The reception at the High school last Friday evening proved a great success. About four hundred people were present and everyone reported having a fine time. The High school orchestra furnished music, and frappe was served. Toward the close of the evening some of the guests enjoyed about an hour of dancing.

Every pupil in the school certainly ought to subscribe for "The Nerve" this year after hearing the talks given Monday morning. Mr. Davis, Mr. Bush, Helen Stemen, Nicholas Gross and Walter Pike told how much the support of the pupils is needed to publish the paper and to keep it financially.

Considering the weather conditions, a large crowd attended the football game last Saturday. Marshfield came in at 2:10 p. m. and went immediately to the ball grounds. All thru the game the Marshfield players, although they had the advantage of us in size, were outclassed in speed, skill and endurance. Stevens Point secured a touchdown and goal kick in the third quarter. In the same quarter Marshfield secured a touchdown. The line-up for Stevens Point was as follows: Ends, Rogers and Cook; tackle, Banach and Doback; guards, Wells and Moxon; center, Pike; quarter, Glennon; halves, Carpenter and Ondracek; full, Dumas. Score 6 to 5. Stevens Point plays Wausau at Wausau next Saturday.

Always Doing Good.

Eureka Camp, No. 1418, M. W. A., at its meeting last Thursday evening, authorized a donation of \$25 to the proposed new hospital, this being the first secret or benevolent society to make a donation, but others are expected to follow in good time. The members of Eureka Camp are always wide awake and believe in taking the lead in doing good, thereby meriting the approval of the public.

Bicyclists Collide in Dark.

Ira Barker has been quite sore and lame for several days because of a head on collision with Iceliff him last Friday evening between 7 and 8 o'clock. Mr. Barker was enroute to the South Side on his bicycle, going at a lively clip along Division street, when he collided with another wheel and its rider. Ira was thrown heavily to the pavement, severely injuring his nose and chest and rendering him unconscious for a few moments. The other party, who is unknown to Mr. Barker, escaped personal injury but his wheel was practically ruined. As both bicyclists were traveling at a good rate of speed and came together without warning, it is almost a miracle that they were not killed or badly hurt.

RAN AWAY FROM HOME

Manitowoc Young Couple Attend Sunday Evening Dance and Then Decide to Elope.

Wm. Simons and Miss Ella Brendt, aged respectively 23 and 20, spent a day or two last week in Stevens Point. One week ago last Sunday evening they attended a dance together, near their home in the country a few miles from Manitowoc, and thereafter their whereabouts were not definitely known until Thursday, when the girl's father, John Brendt, accompanied by Sheriff Ceary of Manitowoc, arrived here. It was learned that the couple had stopped at the Myers House, Tuesday night, registering by their individual names, but occupied the same room, and left the next day. From here they went to the home of C. Hickenbotham, near Arrott, the Hickenbotham family being former residents of Manitowoc county. They came to the city on Friday in company with Mr. and Mrs. Hickenbotham, and when Mr. Hickenbotham went to the postoffice Simons asked him to secure his mail, he having sent for a marriage license. This was done, the license having arrived and it was the intention of the couple to get married that afternoon.

In the meantime Sheriff Ceary had returned to Manitowoc, leaving the matter in the hands of Lon Myers, who located Simons soon after Mr. Hickenbotham had called for his mail. The girl was also found a little later, and turned over to her father, while Simons was locked up. The girl broke down and cried, saying she wanted to see her father at once and did not want anything more to do with Simons. She said he forced her to accompany him at the point of a revolver; that they first drove to his home and thereafter thru the country to the northwest before taking a train to Stevens Point, arriving Tuesday forenoon. Both Mr. and Mrs. Hickenbotham were thoroughly surprised when Simons was arrested, they suspecting nothing wrong with the young couple, and expected to witness the marriage ceremony that afternoon.

The Manitowoc sheriff had warned those whom he met here to look out for Simons, as he was a bad man and carried a gun. When arrested he denied having a weapon at first, but finally turned it over with little protest.

Saturday morning Mr. Brendt left here with his daughter on the Green Bay & Western, and as nothing more could be done with the young man other than to arraign him on the charge of carrying concealed weapons, this was done and he promptly paid the fine and costs, having a "roll" in his possession, and left the city that afternoon, also for his home near Manitowoc, where his father is a well-to-do farmer and he had been employed as a cheesemaker. It is also said that the couple had been "keeping company" for some time, that the old feeling of love was mutual between them, but the match has been opposed by her father, who evidently in this instance would have been foiled had he arrived here twenty-four hours later. The suddenness with which the girl changed her tactics after the arrest of Simons, declaring that she wanted nothing more to do with him, was one of the greatest surprises of the episode.

Gave a Nice Program.

There was a good attendance at the entertainment given by Mrs. Elizabeth Drake of Chicago at St. Paul's M. E. church, last Friday evening. The place having been changed from the Guild Hall. As a reader and impersonator Mrs. Drake is many able and clever, and the fact that most of her readings are original, adds to their interest. Vocal numbers by Misses Kate Ball, Mary Collins and Jessie Hill added to the pleasure of the program, and in one of her selections Mrs. Drake was accompanied on the piano by Miss Helen Walters.

Marriage Licenses.

John Hoerter, Stevens Point, to Pauline Sharkowski, Hull, Thos. A. Halverson to Emma Haraldson, both of Alban.

WANT LAW KNOCKED OUT

Test Case in the Name of T. H. Hanna to be Brought Before Supreme Court Next Tuesday

T. H. Hanna left for Madison this forenoon, where he goes to sign the necessary documents preparatory to bringing the 20 per cent. abortion before the supreme court. The petition will ask that the matter be heard by that body on Tuesday next, the 4th of October, and it is expected that a decision will be rendered a few days later. Mr. Hanna was the Democratic candidate for state Senator in this district, composed of the counties of Portage and Waupaca, and like the other Democratic candidates in this county, failed to receive the necessary 20 per cent.

Mr. Hanna will be represented by Jos. E. Davies, chairman of the Democratic state central committee, John A. Aylward, former candidate for governor, ex-Atty. General O'Connor, ex-Justice Dodge and Adolph J. Schmitz, present Democratic candidate for governor. They will ask the court to render a verbal opinion at the earliest possible moment, thereby not delaying the printing of the official ballots and giving candidates whom the law effects an opportunity in their respective communities. The court can then prepare a written opinion at its convenience. It is believed that the court will declare the 20 per cent. law unconstitutional, as it is certainly unjust and un-American, and under all circumstances will no doubt be repealed by the next legislature.

SCHOOL'S AIMS AND OBJECTS

Pres. Sims and Prof. Hyer Speak at the Business Men's Banquet Last Thursday Evening.

One of the best meetings yet held under the auspices of the Stevens Point Business Men's Association was that of last Thursday evening, when St. Agnes' Guild of the Episcopal church prepared and served a fine banquet of 76 plates. Chicken pie and an abundance of other good eatables were provided by the young ladies and ample justice was done to the spread by the hungry men. "Real" table cloths and napkins had been provided by the Guild and on each napkin was placed a pretty pansy. The large banquet room at the library was tastefully decorated with Normal school banners and pennants, kindly loaned for the occasion by French, Campbell & Co.

President Finch performed the duties of presiding officer and toastmaster and those of secretary were temporarily looked after by M. E. Bruce. The latter read two letters addressed to J. W. Donegan, cashier of the First National bank, the first of which was from the Standard Metal Manfg. Co. of Chicago, which desires to move its plant here, providing stock to the amount of \$50,000 is subscribed by our citizens. The Templeton-Barrett Silver Plating Co. of Milwaukee desires to locate in this city in the event that they be given a factory building 100x150 or 50x150 ft. The propositions were referred to the industrial committee. A ladies' quartette from the Normal gave a vocal selection which was heartily applauded, after which Prof. Finch extended a few words of welcome and expressed the hope that everyone in Stevens Point would take an active interest towards further developing our city and its industries. He expressed the gratification that all feel over the return of the Soo division to this city and also extended a hearty welcome to Doc. "Wild Horse" Wilson, who has also come back to town. Mr. Finch then introduced the first speaker of the evening, Pres. John F. Sims of the Normal school, who was assigned the subject of the school's organization and development.

In his opening remarks Mr. Sims said that he thought that everyone in the audience was proud of our Normal school. The founders of our country have made ample provision for the education of our children through what is known as the common school fund, the income of which is devoted to the maintenance of our common schools. At a later date, or soon after the organization of Wisconsin as a state, a portion of this fund was set aside to equip and maintain Normal schools and academies. In 1856 the first Normal school was located at Platteville and two years later a second one was built at Whitewater. Then followed in succession the Normals at Oshkosh, Milwaukee, River Falls, Stevens Point, Superior and LaCrosse, and now the city of Eau Claire is hoping that another one will be established in their town. Briefly, the purpose of these schools is to prepare teachers for the common schools of Wisconsin. At the present time the state institution in our city offers no less than eleven courses of from one to five years each. Everyone of these courses require both academic and professional work. Mr. Sims said that the fundamental quality of a teacher is sterling character. In the matter of education the best preparation is in knowing the duty of the hour. Education is not merely preparation for living, but education is living. What is presented to the Normal student is given with the idea that he is going to transmit this knowledge to somebody else. The text book habit is often eliminated and gives place to the habit of preparation. In briefly alluding to the practice school in connection with our Normal, Mr. Sims extended his thanks to the people of Stevens Point for their generous support and especially thanked the board of education for giving his students the opportunity of doing practice work in the Third ward building. He also extended his grateful appreciation to our citizens who have not only opened their homes, but their hearts as well, to the many students who have come here from distant towns and cities. He has been delighted time and again by the recitals of many acts of kindness and love extended to the young people who have come here as strangers. The Stevens Point Normal, Mr. Sims said, had and has enrolled the most progressive students it has ever been his lot to meet.

These students have brought to our city contributions much richer than gold. He trusted that all would realize that the teachers' profession is an aid to the development of both mind and conscience. While the people of Stevens Point deserve congratulation for what they have done for the school, at the same time he believed that the student body have helped to compensate us in large measure. The Stevens Point Normal is not made up of building, library, laboratory, pictures and campus; it is a spiritual activity, one evolved from the activity of the teaching process, that calisthenics of soul whereby the soul is lifted up. The high purpose of the schools is revealed by a loyal, homogeneous faculty. The boys and girls who go out from here are going to aid in the uplift of this school. The graduates who have gone out from here have already demonstrated the great work of the school by filling places of honor in colleges, high schools and as city and county superintendents. All have and will continue to perform their various duties with dignity and honor.

A vocal solo by Miss Menaul, supervisor of music at the Normal, followed Mr. Sims' talk and then Prof. Hyer responded to the subject, "The Practice School." Before entering upon his discourse, however, he dwelt upon the opportunity given by a business men's association to this kind to the school man to enter into the discussion of civic affairs. Those engaged in educational work are too often liable to become recluses and shut themselves out from public affairs. In regard to his subject, "The Practice School," which he said he would rather term the model school, now has an enrollment of 170 pupils, an increase of 15 over last year. In the training school the purpose of organization is for the best training for those who intend to become teachers. Their work is supervised by competent men and women whose sole duty it is to look after the work of the practice teachers. Mrs. John H. Drake of Chicago gave a reading entitled "Stories from the Sunny South," which was greatly enjoyed, and then our local regent, Geo. B. Nelson, set forth the relations of the Normal school to our city and appealed to our citizens to continue their interest in the school. Another selection by the Normal quartette was followed by a general discussion. Prof. Showers of the Business College showed that his institution also is an advantage to our city, inasmuch as within the past two years 61 per cent. of its enrolled students were from out of town, and its graduates are now holding responsible positions in various parts of the United States. Supt. John N. Davis of the public schools also made a few remarks, after which a chorus of mixed voices sang a school song. Rev. John A. Stemen moved that a vote of thanks be extended the Normal people for the manner in which they had responded to the occasion. Rev. C. F. Spray followed with a number of good stories and incidentally spoke of the loyalty of local Normal students. "The Economic Value of the Normal School to the City" was the subject with which D. E. Frost entertained his audience and in which he brought out many statistics relative to the cost of maintaining the school. Mr. Frost made mention of the local Normal regents up to the time of our acquiring the local institution, and the work done by them to secure it. When their purpose was accomplished our citizens turned over \$50,000 in cash to the state treasury and donated a sight in consideration of having the school located here. That the investment was a paying one was proven by Mr. Frost when he gave an itemized account showing that money to the amount of \$120,697.07 is expended annually in the city by reason of the state Normal being located here.

St. Agnes' Guild Coffee.

The members of St. Agnes' Guild will serve a 10 cent coffee at the residence of Mrs. G. W. Cate, 321 Ellis street, tomorrow afternoon, Sept. 29th. They have provided for a large number and extend a general invitation to our citizens.

For Old Friendship.

Jos. Micharek, whose health has been poor for some time, due to much suffering from a rupture, for which he is about to undergo an operation, received a check for \$50 from John E. Gray, of Fulton, Ala., the other day, to assist in his expenses. Joseph was in the employ of Mr. Gray for several years while the latter was engaged in business here, and the handsome donation is in memory of old friendship, and duly appreciated by the recipient.

Fell From His Wheel.

J. K. Vosburgh, the well known court house janitor and local news agent, met with a painful accident last Saturday afternoon. Mr. Vosburgh was making the rounds distributing papers that arrived on the 12:30 train, and as he was about to alight from his wheel in front of the Peck place, on east side of the public square, his foot caught in the pedal and he fell to the cement walk. He struck upon his shoulder and hip, and it was feared the latter had been fractured. An examination by Dr. Southwick, however, dispelled this impression, but as Mr. Vosburgh has had much rheumatism and other trouble with this limb for twenty years or more, he is still quite sore, but will no doubt soon be as active as ever.

BUY STATE BANK STOCK

The Malick and Longbotham Holdings in Local Institution Pass Into Other Hands.

Since the organization of the Wisconsin State bank in this city several years ago, J. P. Malick of Stevens Point and John Longbotham of Cuba City have held the majority of stock and the controlling interests in the local institution, but all of this stock was on Saturday last transferred to E. J. Patterson, Geo. B. Nelson, D. E. Frost, M. A. Hadenek, Louis Brill, T. H. Hanna and R. B. Johnson of Stevens Point; L. A. Pomeroy of Amherst and R. H. Hackett of Oshkosh. Mr. Malick and Mr. Longbotham retire from the institution, but the other stockholders, agent thirty in number, will retain their respective interests, as heretofore. At a meeting held on Saturday it was determined that M. A. Hadenek, R. H. Hackett, L. A. Pomeroy, L. R. Anderson and E. J. Patterson serve as directors. Mr. Anderson has acted in that capacity for the State bank for several years. Mr. Hackett, who is probably a stranger to many in this locality, is not unknown in the financial world, being a director in the Old National bank at Oshkosh and is also interested in other banking institutions of that city, Milwaukee and Omaha. The transfer of stock does not mean a reorganization in any sense, but brings with it a number of gentlemen of capital who will greatly strengthen the local institution. Neither will there be any change in name nor capital stock.

THE BUDGET IS REDUCED

Board of Education Will Ask for Over \$3,000 Less Than Last Year to Run the Schools.

The board of education met in adjourned meeting last evening, those present being Rogers, Shumway, Cook, Young, Blood, Anderson, Pasternacki, Dittman, Simonson and Todd. Clarence Wilson, a high school student, applied for the position of assistant janitor at the school and the matter was referred to the committee on teachers. W. F. Parker was allowed a bill of \$12 for painting the roof on the same school.

The clerk reported that the third floor at the High school had been piped for gas, but no fixtures have been secured, and a light at the fire escape is also necessary. The committee on supplies were given power to act. Supt. Davis said he would at once commence a fire drill at the school, so that pupils will know what to do in the event of a fire in the building.

W. J. Shumway resigned as chairman of the committee on insurance and R. A. Cook was appointed in his place. Being engaged in the insurance business himself, Mr. Shumway said he did not think it was proper for him to be at the head of the committee.

Mr. Blood reported that the heating plant in the 4th ward building would be re-arranged so as to heat the kindergarten building, the same to cost about \$125, for which he had let a contract to J. B. Sullivan & Co. To do the work would require four days, and the contractor wanted the school dismissed next week, commencing on Wednesday. The superintendent was authorized to have this done.

Mr. Anderson reported that the committee had notified Misses Winnifred Nelson and Nellie Reading that their services would not be required after 30 days, as the board has too many teachers. The former has no contract, and the latter is one of the last to be hired, but has a contract. A letter from Miss Reading protesting against the action taken, was read, but as the board considered it had no alternative, the communication was laid on the table. Mr. Anderson reported that he had received a draft for \$2,324.03 from the state, being the amount paid for maintaining the school for the deaf during the past year. The committee on finance reported the following budget for the coming year, and the same was accepted and the clerk authorized to present the same to the council:

Teachers	\$28,000
Janitors	3,500
Fuel	2,450
Telephones	170
Repairs and supplies	5,580
Light and power	475
Insurance	300
Clerk and treas. salaries	225
Total	\$40,760
Less state aid, estimated	\$ 9,000

Amt. to be raised by tax \$31,760
This is \$3,145 less than last year, when the sum of \$34,905 was raised for school purposes.

The committee on teachers recommended that Miss Margaret Clifford be assigned as principal of the eighth grade at an increase in salary of \$5 per month. The recommendation was unanimously adopted.

It was reported that the superintendent of the water company had refused to make the necessary taps for extending the water supply to the third floor of the High school building. The president said he would take the matter up at once and if necessary bring it before the county court.

The matter of making out the payroll of teachers and janitors one week later than heretofore, or the week following the end of each month's work, was advocated by Messrs. Young, Anderson, Blood, Cook and Dittman, and Supt. Davis said he thought this would be satisfactory to teachers. A motion by Dr. Pasternacki authorizing the change was adopted. It was also decided to file a copy of the payroll on hand with the committee on finance.

A question that has long been agitated by different members of the board and discussed by others, that of providing additional space for facilities some time in the future, was again brought up, all of the members being united in the opinion that another building will be necessary if Stevens Point increases in population as much as we all expect. Mr. Cook said he was in favor of erecting a new High school building and locating it on the present Second ward grounds, at the same time he thought that the board should get rid of some of the old snags that it owns, including the one at the corner of Clark and Church streets, as soon as possible, and provide decent quarters for all children. Messrs. Pasternacki, Rogers and Young also expressed views for a new building, but of course a motion was taken for the present at least. The matter of providing new desks for the thing worn by members of the Athletic association was spoken of by the president and the supply committee will act in the matter. The clerk was authorized to purchase a new bookcase for the teacher of deaf, after which the meeting adjourned.

Are Well Represented.

Stevens Point, with a population of 1,000, is well represented in the Madison this year, among those who have gone during the past few days to the state university. The students in different departments of the state university being John Dornay, Frank Redfield, Geo. Macmillan, Carl Kruger, Carl Moschler, Willis Boston, Myron Harshaw, J. A. Allen and W. W. Clifford, Jr., while Frank Hanna goes from Beaver, Fred Somers from Merrim and Ed. Kennedy from Chicago Heights, the latter three being graduates of our Normal or High schools.

It Will be Observed by Orthodox Hebrews Throughout the World Commencing Oct. 3d.

The Jewish residents of Stevens Point will observe the Jewish New Year, which begins at sunset, Oct. 3, and will continue until sunset, Oct. 5. The New Year or Rosh Hashanah will mark the beginning of the year 5671 of the Hebrew calendar, which is traditionally supposed to date from the beginning of the world, something, however, which science is greatly disposed to dispute.

The celebration of the New Year's festival is more generally observed by the Jews than any other of the numerous feasts and fasts in their calendar with the single exception of Yom Kippur or the feast of the Day of Atonement, which follows close upon it.

Among the orthodox Jews, the ceremonies in connection with Rosh Hashanah extend over two days. With what is termed the reformed element who have accepted the modern interpretation of the scriptures, while the celebration of the festival is strictly confined to one day. The religious observance of the festival enjoins entire abstinence from business and all labor, and the attendance upon the religious services in synagogues.

A prominent feature of the services in the synagogues is the blowing of the ram's horn or shofar. The reason for blowing the horn can be traced back to the beginning of the Jewish race and is supposed to remind the children of Israel that the one time for repentance is at hand and they should realize that they have committed sins which should be atoned for. After the blowing of the horn special services and prayers are held to commemorate the occasion.

Mortgages for Autos.

According to a table compiled by the Auto Directories company of New York there are \$600,000,000 worth of automobiles in this country. New York state leads with sixty thousand machines but California is second with thirty-five thousand automobiles.

In Minneapolis it is reported one automobile firm holds mortgages on 1,500 homes. In Wisconsin the mortgages on automobiles and other property for the purchase price are estimated at \$4,000,000; Nebraska has \$9,000,000 in mortgages based on automobile purchase; in Kansas the estimate is \$4,000,000 in the last three years. The money tightness in Iowa is charged to the same condition. In Indianapolis over 2,000 persons are reported to have given mortgages recently to buy automobiles. In Wyoming only five per cent. of automobile purchases are represented by mortgages, but it is reported that 15 per cent. of the purchasers are persons who cannot afford the luxury.

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Suit Cases, Bags, Trunks and Hand-Bags repaired.

JPEICKERT'S SONS
North Third Street, near Main Street.

Stevens Point's Conservative Methods Contrasted With Those of Oshkosh and the Results That Follow.

Recent developments at Oshkosh in a boosting campaign furnish evidence that the conservative methods adopted by Stevens Point during the last ten years for increasing the size of the city and improving its industrial possibilities, are not only commendable but likewise have resulted in more gratifying results to our citizens and taxpayers. Not a few of this city's residents will recall one day last spring when passing on Strong's avenue their attention was attracted and held by a gigantic poster upon which the local public was advised to "Come to Oshkosh" and informed that 5,000 men are wanted in the factories of that city. Of course locally the advertising on bill boards and also in newspapers created no significant impression.

But the advertising was general throughout Wisconsin and adjoining states. That done in cities of the upper Michigan peninsula seems to have been most effective, for Oshkosh, according to newspaper reports from that city, began to feel an influx. The men who went there, less than a thousand in number, promptly realized that they could not all be used and that they could not improve their conditions to any appreciable extent.

After a day's investigation they learned that nearly all facts purported in the advertising so widely distributed were sheer exaggerations. Some had money enough to go back home or to other localities and manifested their discontent by knocking. The pace established on the outside was well maintained by the knockers from within Oshkosh, none of whom were voters or taxpayers, but who, failing to secure employment, expended the little money they had in "whooping it up" and finally facing a sentence to the workhouse for disorderly conduct.

The reaction came promptly enough. Organized labor felt the condition of an overcrowded labor market and through its central organization, the Trades & Labor council, asked that something be done to terminate the effects of the spring advertising. The matter is still pending, but Oshkosh citizens feel that it will require time to offset the harm already done.

Those responsible for the advertising are members of the advertising committee of the Oshkosh Chamber of Commerce, that city's leading civic body. It came at the end of about four years of much talk but actual inaction and was destined to be the first step in a "50,000 Oshkosh." The enthusiasm of the "boosters" got the better of their good judgment and results are a penalty.

Shiftless, irresponsible, incompetent men are in the majority of those who responded to the call of the glaring advertising. Obviously no practical man would expect that through such advertising a city could take the permanent, fairly established and serious minded laboring men from another city where they have homes, satisfactory conditions of employment, and where their children are attending school. The only results that could be expected from the Oshkosh method would be a decrease in wages of laboring men and an increase of the residents dependent on the public coffers--both menacing conditions.

Contrast the plan adopted by our representative organization, the Stevens Point Business Men's Association. They have set up ideals, but in striving to attain them have been on their guard. The experience of other cities have proven to be our lessons. The organization has invited other men here to tell what other cities have done. Then when the opportunity came the officers of the organization were competently active. Matters have permitted to adjust themselves in an easy, natural way. Because we had the facilities, experienced business men with much foresight decided that Stevens Point was the most available locality for the division headquarters of the Soo line.

In due course of time industrial expansion is inevitable and ultimate. When the additional industries shall have been secured then there will be some way to secure the workers. If there should happen to be a dearth of labor when that time comes, all will and good, for those who are eventually secured will come on a uniformly high wage scale and contentment will be among their virtues.

It is the first time in nearly fifty years that the state of Maine has given such overwhelming democratic victory as that given at the election of Sept. 6th. We have a governor and a congressman, and it is claimed that they will be enabled to send a United States senator to Washington. The republicans say that the upheaval was caused by local issues, but it is nothing of the sort. It is the awakening of the American people to the fact that they have been bunked by the republican party. That party has misruled and mismanaged to the extent that the people had refused to submit to it any longer, and the wave of indignation that has struck Maine will engulf the nation. Look for a democratic victory in Wisconsin. "As goes Maine, so goes the nation."--Wausau Pilot.

FOR FALLING HAIR

You Run No Risk When You Use This Remedy.

We promise you that, if your hair is falling out, and you have not let it go too far, you can repair the damage done by using Rexall "93" Hair Tonic, with persistency and regularity, for a reasonable length of time. It is a scientific, cleansing, antiseptic, germicidal preparation, that destroys microbes, stimulates good circulation around the hair roots, promotes hair nourishment, removes dandruff and restores hair health. It is as pleasant to use as pure water, and it is delicately perfumed. It is a real toilet necessity.

We want you to try Rexall "93" Hair Tonic with our promise that it will cost you nothing unless you are perfectly satisfied with its use. It comes in two sizes, prices 50c and \$1. Remember, you can obtain Rexall Remedies in this community only at our store--The Rexall Store. Alex Krembs, Jr. Drug Co., prescription experts, corner Main street and Strong's avenue.

For sale, pleasant residence and lots on N. Second street. Bargain for some one. Enquire of Teofil Krutza. tf

For any kind of firewood, hard, soft, four foot or cut to stove lengths, coal of every grade telephone, T. Olsen, phone 51. tf

Mrs. John Kheil of Fond du Lac is visiting at the home of her sister, Mrs. John Martini, and among other relatives in town.

Dr. B. Nowey, one of Chicago's leading young physicians, came up last week to visit a few days with his sister, Mrs. E. Frank.

Sam Chevlin, who left here last spring for Rhinelander and opened a wholesale fruit house, has closed the business and is now in Chicago.

Mrs. Sarah Perkins and daughter, Mrs. M. A. Hadecek, spent part of last week at Waukesha visiting their sons and brothers, S. A. and A. W. Perkins.

Justin McCarthy, who graduated from the High school in June, '09, left here last week for Marquette college, Milwaukee. He will probably take the course in journalism.

Dr. R. D. Rood and H. V. Foster, of Bartlesville, Okla., spent last Wednesday afternoon and evening in the city, coming up on a business trip, and at the same time to visit among relatives and friends.

Peter Trierweiler, Jr., horse shoeing, general blacksmithing and all kinds of wood working. Special attention given to all work. Replacing and putting on rubber tires. Brick shop, 308 Clark street. tf

Mr. and Mrs. S. H. Worzalla and daughter Rose, Mrs. T. Krutza and Rev. A. Forsiak, the latter of Mill Creek, were recent visitors at Rhinelander and other northern Wisconsin towns, going up in the Worzalla touring car.

Mrs. Jas. Conway, who was called here several weeks ago by the tragic death of a son, left on Thursday morning's train for her home at Ayre, N. Dak., where her husband is employed on a farm.

John Schertz, an employee at the Cope furniture factory, and a son-in-law of Mrs. Anna Rose, has purchased the cottage and lot at 910 Center avenue from John Oertel. Mr. Schertz secured a big bargain in real estate, the consideration being only \$550.

Alex Kluck and Geo. Soik of Custer have bought the Custer Creamery Co. shares of stock formerly owned by Martin Heffron and the latter has or will retire as secretary of the corporation. This is one of the best creameries in the county and has always done a big business.

Between twelve and fifteen ladies were very pleasantly entertained last Thursday at the C. F. Raymond cottage at Martin's island. They were provided with an abundance of good things to eat and a picnic dinner was served at noon. The party was conveyed up and back in Henry Bailey's launch.

Frank E. Poll, the well known potato buyer at Almond, was a visitor to this city last Friday morning while enroute home from Weyauwega with his mother, who will spend some time at Almond. Frank returned only a few days ago from a ten weeks' trip through the west and during his absence invested in a tract of heavily timbered land.

Sanitary Regulations.

Alonso Myers, police officer of the board of health, gives the following warning and regulations to property owners and occupants in both the business and residence districts:

It appears that after all the work that was done the past summer to clear up back yards, alleys, etc., that some of those occupying business buildings are disregarding all orders and are again throwing refuse and other material out of their back doors, and that the alleys are in about as deplorable a condition as when the work started. Each store must be provided with a garbage can or barrel, and a scavenger wagon will be sent around two or three times each week and collect the waste material.

It is a fact, too, that persons living over stores are again throwing dishwater, garbage, etc., out of their windows and in some cases it lodges between the buildings. This practice must be stopped at once.

Those living upon streets which are supplied with sewers must make connection with the sewer, as no outside closet will be permitted and cess pools must be filled in at once.

All will be given sufficient time in which to comply with the rules and regulations and then if property holders and tenants do not do so the board of health will take measures to enforce the same. A. Myers, police officer of the board of health.

The official count of the primary election gives McGovern lead in fifty-two counties, Fairchild carried twelve and Lewis was ahead in eight. LaFollette received 142,987 votes, and Cook only 40,791. Wiesse 20,572, Williams 16,089, McGovern received 80,700 votes, Fairchild 55,118, Lewis 41,004. Schmidt, the Democratic candidate, received 46,565.

Game Wardens Wanted.

Much interest is manifested in the competitive examinations now being held by the State Civil Service Commission to select competent deputy game wardens for permanent and occasional service in northern Wisconsin. These positions are, under the civil service law, removed from politics and at the last session of the legislature the principle of selection of game wardens according to merit and fitness was enforced by special legislation.

The funds in the department of the state game warden during the past two years have greatly increased and it is the purpose of that department this year to put on a special force in the woods to protect the game and enforce the law. All these special appointments must be made from a state list selected by examination. The candidates are required to demonstrate an actual knowledge of the common varieties of fish and game throughout the state.

The Civil Service Commission is making a special effort to attract competent men to this examination. Write to the Commission at Madison if you are interested.



YOU HAVE NOTICED

THE difference in shoes as they appear on people's feet. Some don't fit right; consequently don't feel right. This is the thing that is impossible when you deal with us. In the first place we wouldn't let you buy a pair of shoes that did not fit; and in the second place our styles are right up-to-the-minute.

RINGNESS,
THE SHOE MAN
STEVENS POINT Wis.

Salaries of High School Principals.

The average salary of 288 principals of free high schools in Wisconsin for the past school year was \$1,164.79. Nine principals received a salary of \$2,000 to \$2,500; ten, \$1,800 or more but less than \$2,000; forty-two, \$1,500 to \$1,800; sixty-two \$1,200 to \$1,500. Hence 123 high school principals receive \$1,200 or more per year. The average salary in 1908 was \$1,120.74.

Be Sure and Look.

Watch our window this fall if you want to buy paper at cost price. Victor S. Prahl, 509 Main street. 3

Notice for Bids.

Notice is hereby given that the Board of Public Works of the city of Stevens Point will receive bids up to and including Oct. 1, 1910, at 12 o'clock noon, for furnishing all the material and performing all of the labor in constructing sewers on and between the streets hereinafter mentioned, according to the plans and specifications now on file in the clerk's office in said city, to-wit: A sewer on Ellis street, from Church street to Reserve street, an approximate distance of 2,650 feet; a sewer on Jefferson street from Division street to East avenue, an approximate distance of 800 feet; and a sewer on Main street from a point 100 feet west of Reserve street to Michigan avenue, an approximate distance of 1,400 feet.

Bids should state the price on each sewer separately and should be accompanied with a certified check or bond equal to 10 per cent. of the bid as a guarantee that the bidder will enter into a contract if his bid shall be accepted.

The Board of Public Works reserves the right to reject any and all bids. Dated this 12th day of September, A. D. 1910.

W. F. Owen,
A. J. Cunneen,
R. K. McDonald,
Board of Public Works.

Will Be Sold Cheap.

For sale cheap, and must be sold at once, one organ, a medium sized safe, coal stove, cook stove and numerous other household articles. Call on E. A. Williams at 717 Strong's avenue. tf

Wood and Land.

The last chance to get wood to burn in your homes. I have for sale cheap, land covered with pulp and other wood, located near this city. It will be sold in small pieces and long time given on payments. Enquire of J. P. Malick. tf

Land For Sale.

Four partly improved farms, located from 2 to 2 1/2 miles from a good town. Plenty of timber. Terms reasonable. Will consider income property in trade. Don't miss this. Write at once to F. X. Nelesen, Catawba, Price county, Wis. a21w6

The SOO HOTEL

PARKER BROS., Props.

1211 Division St.

South Side

Sample Room in Connection

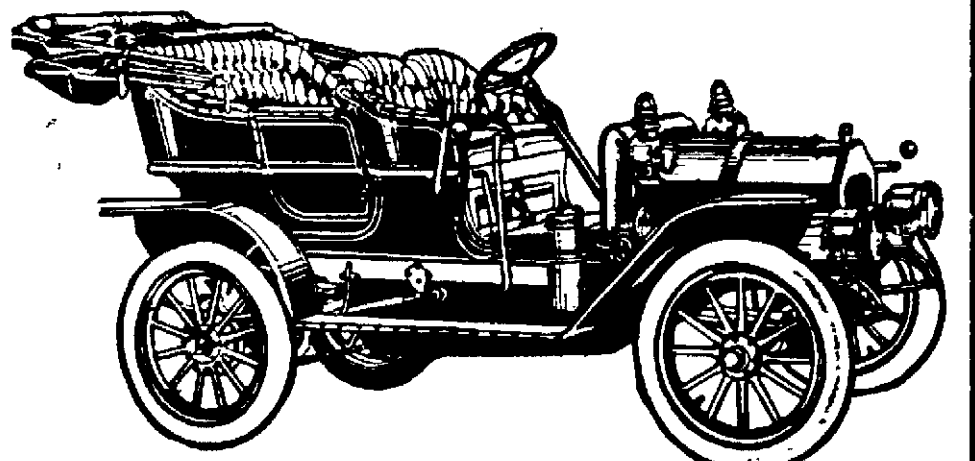
Rates

\$1 and \$1.50 per Day

We Invite Your Patronage
Firstclass Accommodations

REO BREAKS THE RECORD

New York to San Francisco---What This Means to You.



The previous record was fifteen days and two hours, and it was a good one. It has stood three years in spite of many efforts made to break it, for the speed required over all sorts of roads--and much of the way nothing but "desert track"--make the trip the severest accelerated test of endurance.

But at last the REO tried it and smashed the record all to pieces--beat it by 4 days and 11 hours--and beat it fairly and squarely.

The trip was announced in the papers ahead of time so that any one who wanted to could see the start Monday morning, August 8, at one minute past twelve. At every point of the trip the arrival of the REO was checked in by men well known in the community who were not interested in the REO, and these checkings were supported by affidavits. The test was made open and above board--nothing to hide. If the REO had failed it would have gone back and tried over again--over and over again if necessary and all so open that everybody could verify facts.

But it wasn't necessary. The REO has the stuff that stands every test. It has the high power and strength, and it has the construction that permits full use of power over all sorts of roads--even deserts with no roads.

The car that made the previous record was \$4,000. The REO that beat it is only \$1,250.

The same kind of car that made the run can be seen at Arnott.

Come and See Us

Stevens Point Auto Co.

Southey's Industry.
Southey probably deserves to rank as the most industrious of authors. In the greater part of his life he spent fourteen hours a day in composition. He had six tables in his library. He wrote poetry at one, history at another, criticism at a third, and so on with the other subjects upon which he was engaged. He once described to Mue. de Stael the division of his time—two hours before breakfast for history, two hours for reading after, two hours for the composition of poetry, two hours for criticism, and so on through all his working day. "And pray, Mr. Southey," asked madam, "when do you think?"—London Chronicle.

A Bright Blacksmith.
The greatest improvement in vehicle construction was when some bright blacksmith thought of heating the tires and shrinking them on the wheel. While many claim the honor, it is not known to whom it rightly belongs. Previous to this event tires were made in short sections and held on the felloes with nails. When starting on a long haul the driver always laid in a good supply of nails to use on the trip.—Shon Notes Quarterly.

To the End.
Big bugs have little bugs.
Upon their backs to bite 'em,
And little bugs have lesser bugs,
And so ad infinitum.
—St. Louis Post-Dispatch.

Your complexion as well as your temper is rendered miserable by a disordered liver. By taking Chamberlain's Stomach and Liver Tablets you can improve both. Sold by H. D. McCulloch Co.

At St. Paul's Ev. Luth. Church.
German services every first and third Sunday of each month at 2 p. m. and every second and fourth Sunday at 10 a. m. English service every first and third Sunday at 7:30 p. m.
Rev. B. O. Richter, Pastor.

CUT RATE SHIPPING
Cut rates on household goods to Pacific coast and other points. Superior service at reduced rates. The Boyd Transfer Co., Minneapolis, Minn. tf

Esperanto will never offend against the pure food laws, unless its advocates, being merely human, revolt against its limited expressions for emotional relief. Its vocabulary does not contain a single swear word.

CONSUMPTION
In the cure of consumption, concentrated, easily digested nourishment is necessary.
For 35 years
Scott's Emulsion
has been the standard, world-wide treatment for consumption.
All Druggists

The Modest Hunter.
"Can you show me any bear tracks?" asked the amateur Nimrod.
"I kin show you a bear," the native replied.
"Thanks, awfully, old chap. Tracks will suffice."—Pittsburg Post.

Enthusiasm.
Anxious Messenger—Say, fireman, there's another fire broken out up the street. New Recruit—All right, old chap; keep her going till we've finished this one.—Punch.

Not Always.
"Does your wife always insist on talking to you when you are shaving?"
"No. Sometimes I shave when she is away from home."—Chicago Record-Herald.

Danderine
Grows Hair
and we can
PROVE IT!

DANDERINE is to the hair what fresh showers of rain and sunshine are to vegetation. It goes right to the roots, invigorates and strengthens them. Its exhilarating, stimulating and life-giving properties cause the hair to grow abundantly long, strong and beautiful. It at once imparts a sparkling brilliancy and velvety softness to the hair, and a few weeks' use will cause new hair to sprout all over the scalp. Use it every day for a short time, after which two or three times a week will be sufficient to complete whatever growth you desire.

NOW at all druggists in three sizes 25c, 50c and \$1.00 per bottle

Danderine enjoys a greater sale than any other one preparation regardless of kind or brand, and it has a much greater sale than all of the other hair preparations in the world combined.

FREE To show how quickly Danderine acts, we will send a large sample free by return mail to anyone who sends this free coupon to the
EDMUNSON DANDERINE CO., CHICAGO, ILL.
with their name and address and 10c in silver or stamps to pay postage. 9

Cut This Out

TWO HAPPY HIKERS
North Dakota Paper Tells of Richardson Sisters, Who Are Enroute to Montana.

The Williston (N. Dak.) Herald of Wednesday, September 14th, contained this interesting write-up of Misses Bertha and Hazel Richardson, who left here on a "bike" to Montana, Aug. 1st.

It is not so far from Stevens Point, Wis., to Saco, Mont., after all when you think of the pluck and girlish charm join hands with western gallantry and hospitality to bridge the distance. The Misses Bertha and Hazel Richardson set out from their Wisconsin home August 1st to join their brother in Montana and determined not to enrich the soulless railroad corporations one penny's worth. They were prepared if necessary to cover the whole distance by the powers of locomotion, given them by nature, but this has not proven necessary. The automobile is a great institution, especially in the possession of gallant and susceptible men, and the jolly sisters have saved many a weary stretch of road by it. They have made such good progress that they reached Williston last Friday evening, being brought from some point in Mountrail county in the speedy Overland car of Louis Smith, the handsome grocery salesman.

While in town the girls stayed with their old Wisconsin neighbors, Mr. and Mrs. W. T. Lytle, who reside on West Second street. In natty, serviceable walking suits, wide felt hats, a bag of traveling necessities slung from the shoulder and belts, holsters and saucy little revolvers at the hip, the girls were fine representatives of feminine self-reliance. Their dress and manner of travel does not detract a whit from their charm, however. Of robust build, with complexions browned by sun and winds, they are pictures of health, and pretty pictures, too. There is a strong resemblance, both having brown hair and eyes and being of equal height.

Miss Hazel is considerably younger than her sister, being but 17. Miss Bertha is a teacher and Hazel an artist and both are good musicians with pleasant voices. They continued on their way, to finish their journey of approximately 1,000 miles, Monday morning, and it is a shameful reflection on the many Williston young men who sport autos to say that they started on foot. Mr. Smith, who brought them in, had assured them of his willingness to take them on as far as Glasgow and perhaps clear to Saco if he could get back from Duluth in time, but he could not.

These young ladies' brother has a ranch and a restaurant at Saco and their many acquaintances wish them safe and speedy arrival at their destination.

For Use on Face and Hands
Dr. Bell's Antiseptic Salve is the best. It is a creamy snow white ointment and one 25c box will last three months.

Regarding the astonishing result of the Maine election, Chairman Norman E. Mack, of the Democratic national committee, said: "The election was fought out on the great national questions of the day, and it is clear that the people are to triumph over the evils of national government which the Democracy has been fighting for years. Those evils may be summarized as the domination of national policies by the special privilege interests; the welfare of the few at the expense of the many. The tide has turned in Maine and will not stop until it has reached California. In the last national election the Republican party promised the people relief from the oppressive conditions occasioned by the Dingley tariff. Instead of a reduction they gave the people an increase and all the speeches of the president and vice president, of the entire throng of federal orators, cannot undo that wrong. The vigorous, progressive citizenship of America has awakened."

Best Ever Used
A. B. Hienlein, Harrison, Idaho, says: "I have used Dr. Bell's Pine-Tar-Honey for coughs and colds and it is the best I have ever tried. Look for the Bell on the bottle."

SNAPSHOTS AT CELEBRITIES
Governor John Burke of North Dakota.

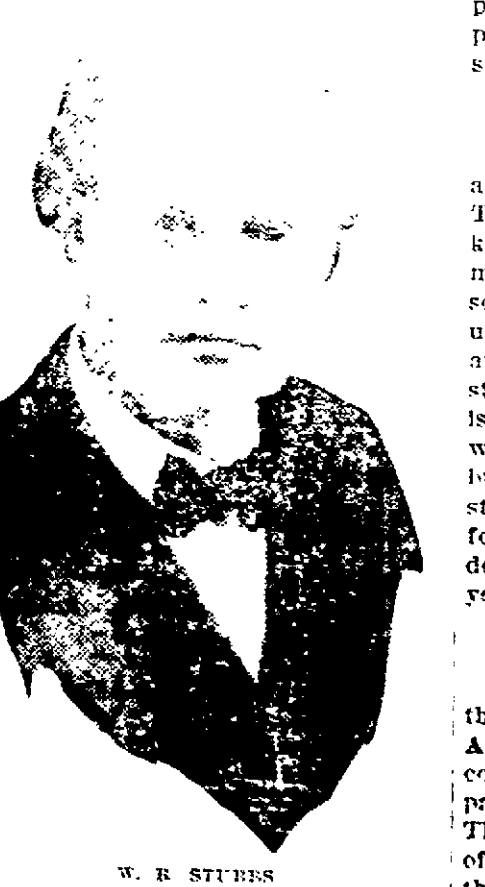


Although the presidential election is two years off, booms for possible party standard bearers are already on the way. Among the latest to gain publicity is that of Governor John Burke of North Dakota, who is hailed by his admirers as of presidential caliber. Twice chosen chief executive of the state on the Democratic ticket, although Mr. Taft carried the state in 1905, is convincing proof, his friends say, of his popularity.

Governor Burke earned his success by hard work. As a youth he learned the trade of cigarmaker, but this did not fit with his rising ambition, and he turned to the law. He was born in Keokuk county, Ia., and got his early education in the public schools. After he got money enough he studied law at the University of Iowa, receiving his degree in 1886. Two years later he removed to North Dakota and began working his way upward. He was elected judge of Rolette county in 1890 and again in 1896. In the interim he served as member of the legislature two years in the house and two years in the senate. The law firm of which he is the senior partner is one of the most successful in the state. He was chosen governor in 1907 and re-elected in 1909.

Octave Thanet's Heroes.
Octave Thanet (Miss Alice French) began her literary career with a predisposition to deal with economics and philosophy. It was the result of her education. After polite editorial admonitions she turned to stories which reflected something of her sunny disposition and keen insight into human nature. Little wonder that when asked, "Who are your heroes in real life?" Miss French answered with promptness, "Magazine editors."—New York World

Governor Stubbs of Kansas.
Governor Walter Roscoe Stubbs of Kansas, renominated to succeed himself at the recent primaries, is a progressive of the first water. Since entering politics about eight years ago Mr. Stubbs has been the foe of extravagance in state expenditures.



As a member of the legislature he started the movement to down the statehouse machine and did it most effectively. Governor Stubbs is a millionaire, and he made his pile as a railroad tractor. He started in as a water carrier for a construction gang and gradually worked his way up. He is a native of Indiana and will be fifty-two in November. He has lived in Kansas since 1889 and before he began railroading was a farmer, as were his father and grandfather before him. Governor Stubbs is a big man, physically as well as mentally, standing six feet high and built in proportion. He is noted for his genial smile and general good nature as well as for his sterling honesty.

CANNIBALISM.
It is the Religion of the Savages Who Practice It.

In the course of his thirteen years as a missionary in the Fiji Islands the Rev. Joseph Nettleton learned a good deal about cannibalism and even saw some of his colleagues killed and eaten. "It is a common mistake to think that these men eat human beings because of hunger," he said. "Cannibalism is their religion. The ovens in the temple where they cook their human sacrifices are never used for any other purpose. I once witnessed the capture of a white victim. He was surrounded, bound hand and foot and dragged along to the temple, where he was dashed with terrible force against the altar. Then he was pushed inside the compound, while the chiefs arranged as to the division of the body and began a war dance. Their hideous war dance—the 'derama' they call it—makes one's flesh creep. An American sea captain who once visited the islands said he was not so much afraid of being eaten as he was of this dance. It took all the courage out of him."

Mr. Nettleton had to use extreme tact to avoid arousing suspicion among the savages. "My colleague, Mr. Baker, was murdered, cooked and eaten with seven others while exploring," he said. "The cannibals thought he was a spy. I never carried a revolver. Why? Because the cannibals say at once, 'He doesn't carry that to kill himself, therefore he means to kill us,' and they act accordingly."

The Rev. J. Calvert, another of Mr. Nettleton's colleagues, had a narrow escape. He was surrounded by cannibals, and it was decided that he should be killed. By a miracle his life was spared. "My friend pleaded till he was hoarse," said Mr. Nettleton, "but it was of no avail. Suddenly one of the cannibals remembered that Mr. Calvert had doctored him when he was ill. That saved my friend's life."—Chicago News

DEMONIAC PLEASANTY.
Humorous Diversion of the Roman Emperor Commodus.

Professional barbers are said to have been introduced into Rome by Menas from Sicily, of which island he was praetor in the days of Cicero. Under the empire their shops in some instances became fashionable resorts at which every luxury of the toilet was enjoyed and the gossip and news of Rome and the empire were discussed. The means, luxury and weaknesses of personal adornment therein carried to excess are amply immortalized in the pages of Terence, Plautus, Horace, Juvenal and Martial.

Other barber shops were more refined, as we learn from the annals of the Emperor Commodus, who, having wearied at times of the wholesale tragedies of the Coliseum, wherein armies engaged in murder at his savage behest, and being desirous of a little humorous diversion, used, like the caliph of Bagdad in the "Arabian Nights," to disguise himself and sally forth, accompanied by two or more of his favorites, and, having hired a barber shop suitable for his purpose, would place one of his men at the door to solicit custom.

Having secured a customer, the emperor barber would politely affix the towel and apply the lather, all the time keeping up a running fire of the latest jests and little pleasantries until the customer and himself were almost overcome with laughter. Then the keen edged razor would slip, and among regrets and proffers of assistance the noseless victim would be assisted to the rear of the shop, where between threats and bribes he was kept from making a riot until one or two more victims were added to the number and Commodus, weary of his demoniac pleasantries, was ready to return to the palace or to the arena.—Charles Winslow Hall in National Magazine

The Mails.
When does a crime become punishable? When it is committed by mail. The mail is the most sacred thing known to the United States government except itself. Nothing but treason surpasses in enormity the misuse of the mails. So far as the federal authorities are concerned, one may steal, gamble and murder so long as it is not done by correspondence. Do ye whatsoever ye will one unto another, but do not write it down and stick a stamp on the upper right hand corner, for if ye do then in truth will all the deacons of justice be unloosed upon your trail.—Life

Started the Natives.
Herrera, the Spanish historian, says that Pizarro when he landed in South America owed his life and those of his companions to the fact that one of the party fell off his horse by accident. The natives had succeeded in cutting off the retreat of the Spaniards to their ships, when one of the riders was thrown. The Indians were so astonished at the dissolution of partnership that they took flight at once. They had supposed horse and man to be one animal.

An Inference.
Rose—Why don't you pop in and have a game of bridge sometimes?
Violet—Oh, well, you see—I've become a bit of a recluse lately.
Rose—How much do you owe?—Illustrated Bits

Thrifless.
"Did she marry the man who rescued her?"
"Yes, and now she's discovered that her life was the only thing he ever saved."—Detroit Free Press.

NEW READY-TO-WEAR SUITS
We are now receiving our line of
Fall and Winter Suits, Overcoats and Suitings
and invite you to call and look them over. They are brand new and Strictly up-to-date. Be prepared for cold weather---
BUY NOW
We have also received a fine line of
Men's Shirts, Underwear, Hosiery, Etc.
CONTINENTAL CLOTHING STORE
SCHMITT & KNOPE

Unnecessary Effort.
One never has to put salt on the tail of trouble in order to catch it.

The Mountains Bother Them.
The British have had heaps of trouble in Siam to make the natives understand that the world is round instead of flat. Indeed, the native teachers keep on teaching the children that it is flat, and when argued with they reply, "If it isn't flat why do the mountains stand up as they do instead of rolling downhill?"

A Financier's Observation.
"He spends money like a prince," said the man who makes trite comparisons.
"Perhaps," replied Mr. Dustin Stax, "only most members of royal families I have met in my banking experience are more anxious to borrow money than to disburse it."—Washington Star.

A Paradox.
Little Willie—Say, pa, what is a paradox? Pa—Well, my son, a coal stove is one kind of paradox. It won't burn until it is put up; then it won't burn until it is shaken down.—Chicago News.

A Difference.
"I am told that Jones is a regular leech. Is that true?"
"No; I would hardly say that. A leech, you know, never gets stuck on himself."

Blood Poison
Is prevented by applying Dr. Bell's Anti-Fan-tan-ous, scratches and bruises. It destroys all so-called matter, enables the weaver to heal without soreness. Be sure to get Dr. Bell's.

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WEDNESDAY, SEPT. 28, 1910

Genuine German dill pickles at Chas. A. Hamacker's.

Mr. and Mrs. F. B. Warner, of Grand Rapids, were visitors to this city last Sunday.

L. A. Pomeroy was here from Amherst and spent part of Sunday and Monday in town.

Mr. and Mrs. E. D. Glennon spent the latter part of last week in Milwaukee and Chicago.

Miss Mina Andrews came over from Grand Rapids and spent Sunday at her home in this city.

Mr. and Mrs. Geo. A. Nelson and family have returned from a visit of a couple of weeks at Eau Claire.

Miss J. D. Puffer of Ashland, a former resident of this city, was a guest of Mr. C. E. McDaniel over Sunday.

Miss T. E. French returned to her home at Columbus, Wis., this morning after a few days' visit in this city on business.

Mrs. Wm. Taylor and daughter, Miss Margaret, of Sparta, are visiting at the home of their son and brother, W. W. Taylor.

Mr. and Mrs. Carew and son, of Fond du Lac, are spending a few days visiting at the T. H. Hanna residence on Clark street.

Stockholders of the Stevens Point Brewing Co. have been notified of a special business meeting, to be held next Monday evening, Oct. 3d.

Lenore Eaton and Frank Peickert are spending a couple of weeks at Bean's eddy, up the Wisconsin river, on a fishing trip and autumn outing.

Miss Grace Griffin, a teacher in the city schools of Grand Rapids, spent Sunday with her aunt, Mrs. E. L. Lemmon, on Strong's avenue.

Misses Christine Jacobs and Eva Stuart went over to Waupaca on the Green Bay train last Sunday morning and spent the day with friends at the lakes.

Mr. and Mrs. Matt Gross have returned from Kankakee, Ill., where the former had been receiving treatment at a sanatorium and comes back somewhat improved.

W. A. Gething will leave the last of the week for Chicago, where he will attend the American Kennel Club show, in which he has made three entries. He will remain there two or three days.

Wm. L. Gibbs, of Lacon, Ill., is now the owner of Coudington ranch No. 4, in the Buena Vista drainage district, but he will not take possession for a year, Henry Nall having it rented for next season.

Miss Frances O'Keefe, who had been visiting her sisters, Mesdames Love, McCarthy and O'Keefe, in this city, returned to Chicago, Friday, where she is employed in the office of Montgomery Ward & Co.

Fred C. Somers came down from Merrill last week and visited until Monday with his grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. D. I. Tozier. Fred was en route to Madison, where he will enroll at the state university.

John Collins returned to Bartlesville, Okla., Monday night, after a two weeks' vacation spent at the home of his mother, Mrs. Elizabeth Collins, in this city, and with his sister, Mrs. Andrew Wood, at St. Paul.

Mr. and Mrs. F. O. Hodsdon were among those from this city who visited the Weyauwega fair last week. Mr. Hodsdon sold 110 gallons of ice cream to various people who operated refreshment stands during the fair.

W. E. Ule has about recovered from the injuries he received while hunting a couple of weeks ago, when several fine shot hit him in the face and body. Mr. Ule returned to Jim Falls, Monday morning, where he is erecting a big dam.

Alex Neison, who has been at Duluth during the summer vacation, is spending this week in the city with his mother and brother, while on his way to Chicago to resume his studies in the dental department of the Northwestern university.

The first of the series of \$15,000 street improvement bonds were issued last Friday, when \$5,000 in bonds were turned over to the First National bank, which will take the balance as the city needs the money, probably not before next season.

Myron Clifford left on Tuesday afternoon's train for Culver, Ind., to resume his studies at the military academy. He will take up the two years' course in military science with a view to becoming an officer in the United States army.

Mr. and Mrs. Jas. A. Bremmer boarded Monday morning's train en route to Valentine, Neb., near where the gentleman has a homestead of 640 acres. He will remain there during the winter but Mrs. Bremmer expects to be gone only a couple of months.

James E. Schlie, a former employe at Peickert's harness shop in this city, the family home being then at Milladore, was married at Pine City, Minn., last week Tuesday morning to Miss Barbara Joliska. The groom is engaged in the harness business at Pine City, to which place his parents also moved last spring.

Mrs. Paul Bluma and little son, Ernest, who lived near the north end of Prentice street, left here this week for Decatur, Ill., to join Mr. Bluma, who has been employed there a few weeks. A widowed sister of Mrs. Bluma, her husband being one of the victims of the Cherry mine disaster, also lives at Decatur.

John S. Howard and son and daughter-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. Osa Howard, who have made their home at Zanesville, Ohio, for the past two or three years, returned the last of the week and will again locate on their farm in the town of Buena Vista. Zanesville's chief industries are the manufacture of tiling, pottery, etc., many men being employed at that work.

Dwight Brower, who came here a few weeks ago to take a position as reporter on the Journal, was called to Milwaukee Tuesday afternoon by the dangerous illness of his father, Dr. F. M. Brewer of Ft. Atkinson, who was taken to Sacred Heart Sanitarium the day before. Dr. Brower is suffering with valvular affection of the heart and it is feared that he cannot long survive.

Mrs. John H. Drake, who gave a recital at the M. E. church last Friday evening, was called home the next day by a telegram announcing the fatal illness of her husband, who passed away on Sunday. He was engaged in the manufacture of surgical instruments, located at 1832 Ogden avenue. Mr. Drake was a native of Hudson City, N. J., was born in 1873 and had been located in Chicago for fourteen years. Besides his widow, he leaves his father, mother and three brothers.

A. J. Empey and Louis Peterson were business visitors from Milladore yesterday.

Don't forget the 10 cent coffee at the residence of Mrs. G. W. Cate, 321 Ellis street, Thursday, Sept. 29th.

Miss Julia Danielson, of Chicago, is the guest of Miss Amelia Port, to remain until the last of the week.

Mrs. S. K. Rounds, of Blaine, Wash., arrived in the city this afternoon for a visit at the home of her sister, Mrs. E. J. Piffner.

Mrs. C. F. Haertel and daughter, Miss May, came up from Amherst this morning to visit among friends here a part of the day.

Mrs. P. J. Kellar went to Colby on the early train this morning where she will act as caterer at the Freeman-Salter wedding this afternoon.

Mrs. Chas. Goodrich, who had been the guest of her mother, Mrs. Anna Pike, at 432 Normal avenue for the past several weeks, has returned to her home at Flint, Mich.

Mrs. Anna Palicka and guest, Miss Anna Taylor of Chicago, left for Milladore this afternoon, where the former will spend the day and the latter will remain most of the week.

Rev. W. J. Rice spent Tuesday at Fond du Lac, where he attended the dedication of the new St. Joseph's Catholic church, erected in place of the edifice destroyed by fire about a year ago.

The October term of circuit court convenes in this city next Monday. The calendar contains 11 criminal cases, 25 issues of fact for jury, 22 issues of fact for court, 1 issue of law for court and 3 default cases.

Frank McCarthy, who had been employed for the past year in the drug department of the H. D. McCulloch Co., left on Saturday night's train for Chicago to take the course in pharmacy at Northwestern university.

Jas. B. Sullivan is installing a hot water system of heating in his own home on Strong's avenue, and also has the contract for placing a complete hot water heating and plumbing system in the C. B. Baker home on the same thoroughfare.

Mrs. Adam Rueckert, of Portage, is visiting at the home of her brother, Peter Schleissmann, on Briggs street, and among other relatives in Sharon township. Mrs. Rueckert was accompanied here by Miss Elsie Schenk, who had been at Portage a few weeks.

Dr. E. S. Garner and family have moved here from Redgranite and expect to make Stevens Point their future home. They will reside at 806 Wisconsin street, and the Dr. has opened an office in the Mitchell block, across the street from The Gazette.

Will Carhart and Ed. Peltier, of Grand Rapids, were guests of friends in this city last Sunday. While returning to his home from this city on a motorcycle, one day last week, Mr. Carhart was thrown from the machine and dislocated one of his shoulders.

Michael Lorbiecki, single and 36 years of age, was declared insane on Tuesday after an examination by Drs. Gregory and M. G. Rood. He has been a resident of the town of Sharon, has threatened to commit suicide, has a mania on religion and believes he is supreme ruler of the universe.

Moritz and Franz Krembs entertained over two score of their young men friends, Sunday evening, at the home of their parents on Main street. A chicken dinner, prepared by the hosts, was served, after which a smoker was enjoyed for a couple of hours or more, and the good time made more enjoyable with music, songs and stories.

At a meeting of political candidates and committees held at Madison, Tuesday, T. H. Hanna, of this city, was made a member of the Democratic state central committee, to represent the 8th congressional district, and Rev. T. W. North, the new pastor of the M. E. church, will represent the prohibition party in a like capacity.

B. B. Park has returned from Waucoma, where he spent last week defending John Kent, in circuit court, who was charged with murder and whose plea was self defense. The trial lasted all the week. Dist. Atty. Killen being assisted by Buchanan Johnson of Plainfield, and on Saturday evening the jury brought in a verdict of not guilty.

Guy McClary has returned from Marshfield with his family and they are again living at the old home on Main street. Guy has leased the shining parlor between Mullen's meat market and Rosenow's furniture store and is now prepared to ply his vocation in an artistic manner. During week days he will charge only 5 cents for a shine; on Sundays and holidays, 10 cents.

If newspaper accounts are true, as they generally are, freshmen at Madison do not find it easy to secure desirable quarters this year. Linda has claimed that freshmen are too much inclined to leave as soon as they get an opportunity to join a fraternity, and then again they occasionally suffer damage from those who follow freshmen to their homes for the purpose of hazing them.

Miss Florence Curran, whose arrival was expected last Thursday, did not reach here until Sunday night, having spent several days with friends in New York city. Miss Curran spent the summer visiting various parts of Europe, and had a most enjoyable and profitable journey. Miss Nannie R. Gray, who accompanied her across the ocean, will not return until some time next month.

Rev. C. F. Spray left on Saturday morning's train for Whitewater, where he will be located during the next year at least as pastor of the Methodist congregation. Mrs. Spray and son, Cranston, remained here until the first of the week. Misses Cible and Edith Spray, who are members of the Normal Senior class, will continue their studies here until the end of the quarter. They have rooms at Dr. Card's home on Main street. The sincere well wishes of everybody whom they know in Stevens Point will follow Rev. Spray and family to their southern Wisconsin home.

Benedict Durdzela, aged two years and five months, son of Mr. and Mrs. Stephen Durdzela, 914 5th avenue died last Friday morning and was buried from St. Peter's church at 2 o'clock Sunday afternoon, short services being conducted by Rev. S. A. Elbert. The child was sick only four days with stomach and bowel trouble, an epidemic which has been quite prevalent among children in the Fourth ward. Pallbearers for little Benedict were Frank Wojciechowski, Stanley Kolka, Bernard Mozuch and Bennie Shinda. The parents are comforted in their affliction by four children, three boys and a girl.

TWO YEARS' ILLNESS ENDED

William G. Preston Passes Away at Neenah Last Week—Funeral at Baptist Church Sunday.

Just a few minutes before the stroke of midnight last Thursday night the spirit of Wm. G. Preston, for many years a resident of Stevens Point, passed to the Great Beyond. His death occurred at the family home in Neenah, following an illness of over two years, during practically all of which time he was a constant sufferer. While making some repairs in his laundry on the 10th of July, 1908, Mr. Preston slipped and fell and as a result of the injuries received he became a victim of that species of cancer known to medical science as sarcoma. Two years ago last Monday Mr. Preston was operated on at a hospital in Oshkosh, but the disease had already taken such firm root in his system that it could not be wholly eradicated, and he slowly but continually grew worse until the final summons. For upwards of two months he had been confined to his bed, but his mental faculties remained unimpaired almost until the last moment and he continued in charge of the financial affairs of his business, known as the Palace Laundry Co.

Mr. Preston was a native of Waupaca county, his birthplace being the town of Farnington, and he was in the 40th year of his age. Most of his life was spent in Portage county, his parents moving here when Will was a small boy and his father was drowned while crossing the Wisconsin river at the ferry near Meehan thirty years ago. The young man began his business career as a grocer, but a few years later disposed of his stock and entered the mail service on the Wisconsin Central. He was in the government employ for eight years. Mr. Preston was also financially interested in what has long been known as Wisconsin's Best laundry in this city, owning a half interest in partnership with S. W. Carley. Shortly after disposing of his local interests Mr. Preston moved with his family to Ottawa, Ill., where he purchased a laundry and operated it for several months. A few years ago he came to Neenah and had since been a resident of that city.

Mr. Preston was married at Fairhaven, Wash., 19 years ago last June to Miss Mable Eggleston, whose parents, Mr. and Mrs. John Eggleston, had moved west only shortly before. He is survived by the widow, a daughter and two sons, Miss Alice, Goldsmith and Frederick, the youngest being a lad of seven years. His aged mother, Mrs. Anna J. Durfee, is a resident of this city, as is also a sister, Mrs. Frank H. Patterson. Two step-sisters, Mrs. Wm. Wollenschlager of Neenah and Mrs. Morris Krake of Waupaca are also left to mourn. The deceased united with the First Baptist church in this city during his boyhood days and had since been a devout member and active worker in the affairs of that denomination. He was also a member of the Equitable Fraternal Union lodge at Neenah, in which order he carried a policy for \$3,000.

The remains were brought here on the noon train last Sunday and taken to the Baptist church, where services were conducted at 2:30 o'clock that afternoon by Rev. W. H. Fuller, the local pastor, and Rev. Wilbur Clapp, pastor of the Neenah church. The latter gentleman delivered a very inspiring address. Hymns were sung by Mrs. Henry Vetter, Miss Gussie Smith, Rev. Fuller and B. V. Martin, with Mrs. Fuller as accompanist.

Besides the members of the immediate family, others who came here from a distance included an uncle, F. C. Brown of Chicago, Mr. and Mrs. H. R. Cady, E. A. Lincoln and Mrs. W. A. Lincoln of Ashland, E. A. Cartwright of Waupaca. The pallbearers were Chas. F. Raymond, F. P. Russell, W. B. Pett, Geo. E. Vaughn, J. L. Jensen and Fred M. Playman. Interment followed in Forest cemetery.

Among the numerous floral offerings contributed by sympathizing friends were the following from his former neighbors at Neenah: Carnations, Business Men's Association; pillow, E. F. U.; red and yellow roses, employees of the Palace laundry; roses, Mr. and Mrs. Robinson; roses, boys' Sunday school class of the M. E. church; roses from near neighbors; roses, Mr. and Mrs. H. Rasmussen; carnations, Chris. Sorenson; carnations and asters, Mrs. Gruenwald; roses, Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Wollenschlager. The local contributors of flowers were W. B. Pett and wife, Chas. F. Raymond and wife, Mrs. Hamilton and daughters, E. W. Sellers and wife, F. M. Playman and wife, Fred Stewart and wife, U. J. Fuarin and wife, Truman Rice and wife, Mrs. Eggleston and Mrs. Case; Mr. Lincoln and Mr. and Mrs. Cady of Ashland, and Mr. and Mrs. Krake of Waupaca.

Mr. Preston was an honest, honorable man in the broadest sense, a gentleman whose character was above reproach, one who was sincere in the everyday walks of life, and in his passing a kind son, a devoted husband and father and a worthy citizen and Christian has left for another sphere.

Mr. and Mrs. Thos. Love of Grand Rapids spent Sunday with relatives in this city.

Daniel Knowlton, of Grand Rapids, spent Sunday at the home of Jos. Kuchnowski in this city.

Miss Marie Whor left for her home at Grand Rapids, Monday evening, after a five days' visit at the home of Jos. Kuchnowski in this city.

The Hikers Club, a local social organization which has not as yet applied for corporation papers, are enjoying an outing at the Nelson cottage, Echo Dells, this afternoon. True to their name, nearly all the ladies walked down and expect to hoof it back this evening.

Miss Anna Wotzalla has returned from a month's visit at her former home in Winona.

The local Lodge of Woodmen will give a dancing party at their hall over Keton Bros. jewelry store tomorrow evening, Sept. 29th, to which they invite all their friends. Music will be furnished by Weber's orchestra and tickets are 50 cents per couple.

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E. M. Sutherland, secretary-treasurer of the Maccabees of Minnesota and a letter carrier at Minneapolis, spent most of last week in the Buena Vista drainage district assisting his brother, Geo. A. Sutherland, in threshing the season's crop of grain. "Gene and George own a forty acre tract there, practically all of which was sown to oats, rye and wheat. Of the first named cereal they threshed 1,500 bushels, machine measure, and 300 bushels each of rye and wheat. The quality is A No. 1 and it is estimated that the oats went upwards of eighty bushels per acre.

E. M. boarded Saturday morning's train for New Auburn, Chippewa county, to visit over Sunday with his sister, Mrs. H. McCormick.

Officers of the Ladies' Aid.

The Ladies' Aid of St. Stephen's church held a business meeting last Sunday afternoon and elected the following officers for the ensuing year:

Pres.—Mrs. Henry Heil.
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2nd vice—Mrs. P. H. Cashin.
3d vice—Mrs. J. J. Heffron.
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Intellectual Courtship

It Is a Very Different Affair From Simple Love.

By EDITH B. ARNOLD.

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Miss Margaret Lyall took all the de-
 grees of the under and post graduate
 university courses. Being possessed
 of an independent income, it was not
 necessary for her to make a living, but
 she was so clever that the college sent
 her abroad to study for a professor-
 ship. She returned with an additional
 foreign degree and assumed the chair
 for which she had been preparing her-
 self.

When Miss Professor Lyall was
 twenty-seven years old it occurred to
 her that after all she would prefer to
 be a wife and mother to growing old
 as a teacher. If she were to choose
 the more natural course it was high
 time she were doing so. She was con-
 sidered a very attractive woman and
 was comely. She had had a number
 of offers, but had not been thinking of
 marriage and for this reason had ac-
 cepted none of them. Now, having
 determined to wed, she looked over the
 list of her suitors and settled on Royal
 Richardson, a journalist.

Mr. Richardson was editor in chief
 of a large newspaper. He was a high-
 ly educated and a forceful man. There
 is no place in the world where exact-
 ness, system and, above all, a quick
 resource are more essential than in the
 makeup of a daily newspaper. Mr.
 Richardson had a quiet, dignified way
 with him that carried great weight.

"That match," every one said, "is
 between one of nature's highest type
 of men and the same grade of women.
 Such a couple united should produce
 important results for good. What a
 splendid spur the one for the other!"

"No doll wife for me," said Mr. Rich-
 ardson. "Give me a woman with a
 brain in her head." "If I am to be
 married," said Miss Lyall, "I prefer a
 man who is certainly not my inferior.
 If he is my superior I will follow his
 lead, for that is a law of nature. If
 he should turn out to be of poorer
 judgment than I, then that same law
 will compel him to submit to my de-
 crees."

Two persons were especially disap-
 pointed at this engagement. One was
 Walter Fairbanks, a quiet, unobtrus-
 ive man several years younger than
 Miss Lyall. Not being highly educa-
 ted himself—he had gone into business
 at seventeen—he had a profound ad-
 miration for Professor Lyall. It
 was the acme of his desires to have
 such a woman for his wife. It would
 be like an intellectual beggar marry-
 ing one with an intellectual fortune.
 The other disappointed person was
 Miss Lucy Brooks, a girl of twenty,
 whose knowledge had been gained in a
 public school, but whose heart was as
 fresh as a rose and exhaled as much
 fragrance upon all who knew her. She
 had long worshiped Mr. Richardson
 from a distance, but considered him so
 far above her that it was madness for
 her to aspire to be his wife.

No sooner had Professor Lyall be-
 come engaged to Mr. Richardson than
 she began to take an interest in his
 paper. She liked to pick out editorials
 in which she could see his vigorous
 opinions expressed in his terse, pun-
 gent style. But one day she noticed
 what she had not discovered before.
 She was much interested in the na-
 tional problems of the day and sym-
 pathized with every movement cal-
 culated to bring the trusts under a pro-
 per legal subjection. Mr. Richardson
 had given in his editorials an impression
 that this was the policy of his paper.
 But in an article which bore every evi-
 dence of having been written by him
 he made use of the term "trust buster."
 The next time he met his fiancée
 she said to him:

"Royal, I supposed the policy of your
 paper was to advocate the regulation
 of the trusts by law."

"My dear Margaret, the policy of a
 newspaper is an unknown quantity to
 any one except its manager."

"Will you kindly explain?"

Mr. Richardson for the moment for-
 got that he was not in his editorial
 chair. It seemed an idle rather than a
 sentence that came through his cold
 lips.

"Yes; I will explain by saying that I
 alone dictate the policy of my paper."

Miss Lyall looked at him with aston-
 ishment. "And I alone," she said,
 "will decide as to the man I will mar-
 ry. He shall not be one who would
 make use of the odious expression
 'trust buster'!"

She strode majestically out of the
 room and upstairs.

Mr. Richardson departed with a com-
 plication of feelings. He was disap-
 pointed, angered, hurt. For the first
 time he had been interfered with in
 his life work. His eyes were opened
 to the fact that the high grade of
 character, of intellect, he had wished
 in a wife had in this case at least
 proved a boomerang. If he had been
 called to account by another his feel-
 ings would not have been the least ruf-
 fled. But he had formed the very im-
 portant plan of marrying Miss Lyall,
 and he saw that such a union would
 necessitate the rooting up of the main
 habit of his life.

"Good morning, Mr. Richardson,"
 came a soft voice, and, looking aside
 as he walked, he met the amiable
 smile of Miss Brooks. It was like a

warm sunshine breaking through
 wintry cloud. He turned and joined
 her. For an hour he walked beside
 her, listening to her prattle, scarcely
 speaking himself, the girl all the while
 pouring balm on his perturbed feel-
 ings. He went with her to her home
 and it was another hour before he left.

Miss Lyall suffered the same per-
 turbed sensations, and as Mr. Richar-
 dson had been comforted by Miss
 Brooks she turned to Walter Fair-
 banks for similar treatment. If a
 person of strong mind becomes balked
 and consequently irritated there is a
 craving for some one—not to rely on
 for advice, but to whet opinions upon.

Miss Lyall made an excuse to send
 for Mr. Fairbanks in order that she
 might have a dummy to pound. Mr.
 Fairbanks proved himself admirably
 suited to the purpose. Not capable of
 understanding that higher role of ele-
 vating by an unceasing flow of infor-
 mation which is the great work of
 newspapers, he saw only the blemishes
 resting on the press. When Miss Lyall
 told him of her disagreement with Mr.
 Richardson he was surprised that she
 did not know that his paper was own-
 ed by a combination of industrial mag-
 nates. This opened Miss Lyall's eyes
 not only to the fact of an entire ab-
 sence of sympathy between her and
 the man who was employed to oppose
 views she held very strongly, but that
 there was, after all, a comfort in com-
 ing down with her aeroplane and hav-
 ing a heart to heart talk on the earth's
 surface with a man who knew what
 was going on there.

But Mr. Richardson before any an-
 nouncement was made of the break-
 ing of the engagement concluded to
 make an effort to set matters right be-
 tween him and his fiancée. He called
 upon her, and she came down with a
 disappointed look on her face.

"I have called to say, Margaret," he
 began, "that perhaps you are not aware
 that a newspaper is not exclusively a
 concern for dispensing noble ideas. No
 big ideas there may be in it, but they
 would not be there at all if the paper
 had no means for its publication. Un-
 less a newspaper can be made to pay—"

"Has that anything to do with pre-
 tending to advocate ideas and at the
 same time sneering at them?"

"I don't admit!"

"What is your definition of the term
 'trust buster'?"

"A trust buster? Why, a trust buster
 is one who advocates breaking up those
 combinations which are essential to
 business at the present day."

"But I don't admit that they are
 essential."

"Certainly your opinion can have
 nothing to do with the management of
 the paper I edit."

"If the paper you edit is the exponent
 of the principles, or, rather, the want
 of principles, of the man I am to marry
 it certainly is of great importance to
 me."

"I am employed to carry out the
 policy laid down by the owners of the
 paper."

"Why, then, do you pretend to carry
 out opposing ideas?"

"Margaret, a newspaper is a prac-
 tical affair. It must have advertise-
 ments; to secure advertisements it
 must have circulation; to have circula-
 tion it must have readers. Readers
 are of various opinions. One must
 steer a middle course to—"

"Enough! You, the man with whom
 I had decided to unite my very being,
 have no principles of your own?"

"My principles are my own; the pa-
 per's principles are its own."

"Then if you were paid to advocate
 anarchy and assassination you would
 do so without a qualm of conscience?"

"Margaret," he said, changing his
 tone to one of despondency, "if our
 union is to be one of argument instead
 of simple love it will be a failure."

"And unless I marry a man whose
 principles are not for sale it will be a
 failure."

"You are impracticable."

"Goodbye!"

Mr. Richardson and Miss Lyall had
 again found themselves in the position
 of those

birds of tempest loving kind
 "This beating up against the wind,
 though neither of them loved the
 tempest. They were obliged by their
 nature to beat up against it. Again
 they sought solace in the sympathy of
 their intellectual inferiors. Mr. Rich-
 ardson called on Miss Brooks, and
 Miss Lyall called on Walter Fairbanks.

Richardson sat on a sofa beside the
 little, laughing girl, rested by her
 every innocent word, by her every
 dainty notion and more than all by
 that perpetual smile which hovered
 over her lips. She cared nothing for
 the policy of his paper, and, as to his
 principles, she did not for a moment
 doubt that they were noble. A lock of
 his hair fell down over his forehead,
 and with the touch of her waxen
 fingers she put it back in place, laughing
 as she did so. He took the fingers in
 his hand and kissed them. Then he
 kissed her. That settled it.

Miss Lyall talked to Walter Fair-
 banks about her conversation with
 Richardson. He listened to her with
 out a word, looking at her the while
 with a pair of sympathetic eyes.
 Whenever she said, "Am I right?" he
 replied, "You are," and when she said,
 "Am I wrong?" he said, "You are not."
 In other words, Miss Lyall got from
 Mr. Fairbanks what she wanted. And
 so in time she became accustomed to
 getting what she wanted, and found it
 more convenient to place Mr. Fair-
 banks where she could have him all
 the time. She married him.

Mr. Richardson and Miss Lyall met
 occasionally and have intellectual
 talks. She considers him a brilliant
 man, but without principle. He con-
 sidered her a very smart woman, but
 educated in a theoretic, impractical
 school. Each is very happy at home.

THE ROOSTER DOLL.

All Children Love This
 Newcomer in Toyland.



Have you seen the rooster doll? He
 —or, rather, she, for the rooster has a
 little girl's head—is one of the fun-
 nest and cleverest toys to enter the

Photo by American Press Association.
 THE PIT OF THE NURSERY.

nursery since the Teddy bear made
 his triumphant appearance. Indeed, in
 the affections of some of the small
 folk Teddy's nose is completely out of
 joint.

These dolls come in different sizes
 and prices. The kind most liked are
 about the size of the bear toy, and
 the body is of the same plushy mat-
 erial. The rooster's pinions are of red,
 yellow and green felt, and the top
 knot is the familiar cockcomb carried
 out in bright red cloth. Topping the
 pretty face of a "little girl" bisque
 doll, this headgear effect is very amus-
 ing. The doll is jointed and may be
 twisted into all sorts of attitudes.

It's Straight From Paris.
 There is an entirely new idea in
 trimming lingerie dresses recently ar-
 rived from Paris that will be used in
 many ways later on in the season in
 the making of different kinds of
 clothes.

It is this. In place of the usual
 trimming of hand embroidery the de-



sign is worked out in simple lines of
 gay dull white beads. This is an ex-
 ceedingly clever idea and perfectly
 charming when applied to certain ma-
 terials like batiste, marquisette or
 chiffon. Fine chunky and baby Irish
 are used in trimming lingerie dresses
 in preference to valen-tines, which
 has fallen into disfavor for the pres-
 ent.

Don't Be "Fussy."
 Don't! Even if you can't try to
 overcome the failing for the sake of
 your own health and peace of mind
 try to do so for the sake of the man
 you will certainly render wretched one
 of these days.

It is said that no woman has a proper
 sense of proportion. The fussy woman
 certainly hasn't. On her horizon trifles
 loom like battleships. She never rec-
 ognizes what really matters and what
 is unimportant.

As a worker the fussy woman is al-
 ways a failure. She neither gets
 through as much work nor allows oth-
 ers to do so. Like a high stepping
 horse, she is all action, yet makes but
 little progress. Nevertheless fussiness
 will age her before her time.

CASTORIA

The Kind You Have Always Bought, and which has been
 in use for over 30 years, has borne the signature of
 and has been made under his per-
 sonal supervision since its infancy.
 Allow no one to deceive you in this.
 All Counterfeits, Imitations and "Just-as-good" are but
 Experiments that trifle with and endanger the health of
 Infants and Children—Experience against Experiment.

What is CASTORIA

Castoria is a harmless substitute for Castor Oil, Pare-
 goric, Drops and Soothing Syrups. It is Pleasant. It
 contains neither Opium, Morphine nor other Narcotic
 substance. Its age is its guarantee. It destroys Worms
 and allays Feverishness. It cures Diarrhoea and Wind
 Colic. It relieves Teething Troubles, cures Constipation
 and Flatulency. It assimilates the Food, regulates the
 Stomach and Bowels, giving healthy and natural sleep.
 The Children's Panacea—The Mother's Friend.

GENUINE CASTORIA ALWAYS
 Bears the Signature of

Chas. H. Fletcher.

The Kind You Have Always Bought
 In Use For Over 30 Years.

THE CENTAUR COMPANY, 77 MURRAY STREET, NEW YORK CITY.

Not a minute should be lost when a
 child shows symptoms of croup. Cham-
 berlain's Cough Remedy given as soon
 as the child becomes hoarse, or even
 after the croupy cough appears, will
 prevent the attack. Sold by H. D.
 McCulloch Co.

It may be marvelous, but it is human
 that Susie, the pet ape, should refuse
 chewing gum simply because her
 teacher tells her to.

What to do in Case of Accident
 If skin is broken apply Dr. Bell's
 Anti-Pain at once and the wound will
 heal quickly and never get sore. Used
 internally and externally.

The Philadelphia man who was
 choked to death by a high collar died a
 death that ought to turn Harry Lehr
 and Berry Wall green with envy.

Best in the World
 J. W. Hyatt, merchant of Warren,
 N. C., writes: "Please send enclosed
 order by mail. Sutherland's Eagle Eye
 Salve is the best eye remedy in the
 world. 25c."

Half a million in counterfeit coin has
 been recovered by the United States in
 the past year. Has anyone heard of
 any real money being recovered?

The Lash of a Fiend
 would have been about as welcome to
 A. Cooper of Oswego, N. Y., as a mer-
 ciless lung-racking cough that defied
 all remedies for years. "It was most
 troublesome at night," he writes,
 "nothing helped me till I used Dr.
 King's New Discovery which cured me
 completely. I never cough at night
 now." Millions know its matchless
 merit for stubborn colds, obstinate
 coughs, sore lungs, grippe, asthma,
 hemorrhage, croup, whooping cough or
 hay fever. It relieves quickly and
 never fails to satisfy. A trial con-
 vances. 50c and \$1. Trial bottle free.
 It's positively guaranteed by H. D.
 McCulloch Co.

The uncle of the King of Portugal,
 who saw a man killed in a street fight
 among ruffians in New York, is now in
 a position to go home and write a book
 about American civilization.

Don't Break Down
 Severe strains on the vital organs,
 like strains on machinery, cause break-
 downs. You can't over-tax stomach,
 liver, kidneys, bowels or nerves with-
 out serious danger to yourself. If you
 are weak or run-down, or under strain
 of any kind, take Electric Bitters, the
 matchless tonic medicine. Mrs. J. E.
 Van de Sande, Kirkwood, Ill., writes:
 "That I did not break down while en-
 during a most severe strain, for three
 months, is due wholly to Electric Bi-
 tters. Use them and enjoy health and
 strength. Satisfaction positively guar-
 anteed. See at H. D. McCulloch Co."

Correspondents are arguing that a lie
 is occasionally justifiable and a Brock-
 ton judge decides that "dam" is not
 profane. Being good is becoming
 easier.

Best For the Hands
 S. I. Chapman, Mass., Ky., says:
 "I used Dr. Bell's Antiseptic Salve on
 my hands, which were sore, and find it
 the best I ever tried. It cured them
 completely."

The language of the North American
 Indian and the Japanese contain no curs
 words. What a handicap when an
 aborigine hit his finger with a pre-
 historic ax!

It Saved His Leg.
 "All thought I'd lose my leg," writes
 J. A. Swensen, of Watertown, Wis.
 "Ten years of eczema, that 15 doctors
 could not cure, had at last laid me up.
 Then Bucklen's Arnica Salve cured it,
 sound and well." Infalible for skin
 eruptions, eczema, salt rheum, boils,
 Fever sores, burns, scalds, cuts and
 piles. 25c at H. D. McCulloch Co.

SKIN AND SCALP TROUBLES
YIELD TO ZEMO

A Clean Liquid Preparation for External Use

H. D. McCulloch Co. is so confident
 that ZEMO will rid the skin or scalp
 of infant or grown person of pimples,
 blackheads, dandruff, eczema, prickly
 heat, rashes, hives, itchy poison or any
 other form of skin or scalp eruption,
 that they will give you money back
 if you are not entirely satisfied with
 the results obtained from the use of
 ZEMO. The first application gives
 prompt relief and shows an improve-
 ment and in every instance where
 used persistently, will destroy germ
 life, leaving the skin in a clean,
 healthy condition.

Let us show you proof of some re-
 markable cures made by ZEMO and
 give you a 32-page booklet how to pre-
 serve the skin. H. D. McCulloch Co.

Occasional showers are useful, but
 the weather man should not go away
 on his vacation and forget to turn them
 off.

"Can be depended upon" is an ex-
 pression we all like to hear, and when
 it is used in connection with Cham-
 berlain's Colic, Cholera and Diarrhoea
 Remedy it means that it never fails to
 cure diarrhoea, dysentery or bowel
 complaints. It is pleasant to take
 and equally valuable for children and
 adults. Sold by H. D. McCulloch Co.

It has been decided that a divorced
 woman is the widow of her former hus-
 band. This classifies husbands with the
 dead ones.

C. Krembs & Bro., Established in 1863
 At their store on public square you
 will always find a full stock of general
 hardware, tinware, stoves, ranges, law-
 mowers, plows, cultivators, pumps,
 ropes, fence wire, mill supplies of all
 descriptions, etc. All orders for part-
 2 and other tin and sheet iron work
 promptly executed. Also agents for
 the celebrated Round Oak furnace.

Married men, according to statistics,
 are subject to fewer accidents than are
 single men. Somebody is keeping tabs
 on their behavior.

CASTORIA
 For Infants and Children.
 The Kind You Have Always Bought
 Bears the Signature of **Chas. H. Fletcher.**

An Indiana man has patented a safety
 pin with two points. However, wear-
 ers of the gallus are still waiting for
 the two-headed nail.

Chamberlain's Colic, Cholera and
 Diarrhoea Remedy is today the best
 known medicine in use for the relief
 and cure of bowel complaints. It cures
 griping, diarrhoea, dysentery, and
 should be taken at the first unnatural
 looseness of the bowels. It is equally
 valuable for children and adults. It
 always cures. Sold by H. D. McCul-
 lock Co.

FOUND.
 Where to buy guns, all sizes and
 patterns, pure, raw, sewing
 machines, silverware, window and
 door curtains, pictures, crockery
 and glass, china, etc. etc. all sold
 at moderate prices. In Watertown,
 Wis. and Appleton, Wis. H. D. McCulloch
 Co. and H. D. McCulloch Co. and H. D. McCulloch Co.

MONEY TO LOAN
ON REAL ESTATE
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 Opposite Jacobs House.

AMHERST

Frank Hjertberg attended the fair at Weyauwega last week.
Tom Tronson returned from Coopers-town, N. D., last week Tuesday.
The Norwegian Lutheran Aid will meet Sept. 29th with Mrs. M. S. Murat.
Mrs. O. Yorton, El Turner and Imri Turner are sick and under the doctor's care.
Joe Dulac of Amherst Junction will move his family to Stevens Point this week.
Mrs. Prof. Clendenning of Waupaca was a guest at Fred Ginski's last Friday.
John Brathovde returned from a two weeks' visit in Greenwood, Minn., Sunday.
Mrs. Henry A. Wilson and daughter Bessie were Waupaca visitors last Saturday.
Mr. and Mrs. Bert Wells of Dorchester were guests at G. E. Jordan's last week.
Rev. G. A. Sundby is loading his household goods preparatory to moving to Pio, Wis.
Misses Mattie Phillips and Mina Smith are employed at the Veterans' Home near Waupaca.
Mrs. J. L. Moberg visited at the home of her mother, Mrs. A. R. Lea, Waupaca, last Saturday.
Miss Agnes Sweeney of Stevens Point visited with her sister, Kate, of Laver Amherst, last Friday.

ELLIS

A little son has been born to Mr. and Mrs. Joe Kosolik.
Miss Leora Viertel visited with Miss Ustina Wysocki Saturday and Sunday.
The creamery men say business is worth while, as the late rains have improved the pastures a great deal.
Mrs. Geo. W. Allen visited with her parents Saturday and Sunday, returning to her home in Stevens Point Sunday afternoon.
Mr. and Mrs. Maciewski, who recently came from Chicago to Elm, are now settled and will in time make it a prosperous farm.
John Wysocki and wife have returned from Milwaukee. They report the city to be busy and are glad to come back to see a new life on the farm.

During the past week farmers were busy hauling clay on the macadamized road. This is an excellent way of keeping the road in good condition.
St. Martin's church looks very pretty on the interior. The work is now practically finished. The statues are repainted, and a new carpet is laid in front of the altars.

DANCY

The rains of the past few days have been excellent for fall plowing.
D. D. Conway of Grand Rapids transacted business in this village Saturday.
T. H. Hanna of Stevens Point was in the village the past week with prospective real estate buyers.
G. H. Altenburg and wife of Stevens Point visited relatives in this vicinity the past week, coming up in their auto.
A. Brooks returned here Saturday after spending a couple of weeks with a party of campers at Harris, Vilas county.
Miss Elmer Wheaton and children spent a few days recently with Mrs. Wheaton's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Chris Tufte at Junction City.
Miss May Bampton is doing a big business with her boarding house these days, having a large number of steady boarders and many transients also.
G. G. Knoller transacted business in Chicago a few days recently and on the way home stopped over in Milwaukee to visit his son George, who is attending Marquette university.
Wacder's orchestra of Appleton will be playing a party in E. E. Topham's hall Friday evening Oct. 4th. Every body should turn out and no doubt the hall that will attend will fill the hall to its capacity.
A. W. Breitenstein of Stockton has visited G. G. Knoller's potato warehouse in this village and expects to start buying potatoes at this point very soon. Mr. Breitenstein has dealt in potatoes very extensively and successfully for some years and will no doubt get a large amount here.
Several parties were here from away to past few days looking over lands in the Dancy drainage district. All agree as to the outlook and are moving again. The recent fires in the district proved a loss to the settlers in the way of losing their hay, but a great up towards clearing the land and developing the district. Several hundred acres are being broken up this fall preparatory to being put under crop next spring.
Farmers in this locality are not feeling the effect of the hard season just yet. Pastures and hedges for their crops and herds of cattle were never better, and as butter sells at a good price it makes in pretty good milk checks. The potato crop is also turning out better than anticipated earlier in the season. A drive thru this section will show signs of plenty of prosperity. Fine new barns and all kinds of farm buildings are being erected, and everything seems more attractive and everything points towards prosperous times.

MEDIAN

Our friends, George, last Friday for a month's vacation.
Alfred and Thomas Park took a leisure trip to Green Bay one day last week.
Mrs. J. Clendenning at Green Arthur went to Green Bay to visit with relatives.
Mr. and Mrs. Fred Smith of Grand Rapids visited Friday at the home of L. T. Fox.
Mrs. Andrew Lutz was called to Al-

mond last week by the serious illness of her mother.
Corn cutting and silo filling is about completed in this vicinity. Corn is a fair crop this year.
John Skoglund of Amherst, agent for the International Harvester Co., transacted business here last week.
Chas. Voigt has been circulating a petition for a new road between Wood and Portage counties, beginning at the school house and running north on the county line to the river road.
Mr. and Mrs. Vene Warner and Roy Brown and family of Thorp visited at the home of Lige Warner part of last week. They came overland in Mr. Brown's automobile, returning home Sunday.
Potatoes have come on in fine shape through the beautiful weather and pleasant rains of September. It looked doubtful for a while but now we believe many large yields will turn out a good yield.

MILLADORE

H. Swartzman was a Stevens Point caller Monday.
Dr. P. J. Cress made a business trip to Minneapolis last week.
Joe Wotruba of Abbotsford visited at home between trains Monday.
Mrs. Manning spent one day last week with friends at Stevens Point.
Miss Marie Feeley is again employed as milliner at the J. Verhulst store.
Jim Deswartz of Sheboygan is spending a few days here with his best girl.
Miss Tony Kuksack of Oshkosh spent a few days with her mother here last week.
Adolph Wotruba, who is employed at Grand Rapids, attended the dance here Thursday.
Mr. Cronin of Rose Creek, Minn., was the guest of his sister, Mrs. Cress, Saturday and Sunday.
Mr. and Mrs. Steve Feit and daughter Mary left for Esbon, Kansas Monday, for an extended visit with relatives.
Miss Richards of Grand Rapids spent a few days visiting her sister, Cordelia, and also attended the dance Thursday night.
The dance at Hardina's hall last Thursday evening was well attended and all were well pleased with the music. Another good time coming at Lanz's Sept. 28th. Music by Weber's orchestra.

CUSTER

P. Ryan lost a valuable farm horse last week, caused by an over feed of rye.
Martin Lally of Rhinelander has been the guest of his brother, Anthony, and friends for a few days.
A forty hours' devotion of religious services will be held at St. Mary's church, commencing next Tuesday.
Work is progressing very rapidly on St. Mary's church, including the painting on the interior, and an elegant cement walk has been recently finished, which is a fine piece of work and was greatly needed.
What might have been a worse experience for Frank Bronk's two little boys, aged three and five years, happened last Sunday afternoon. While Mr. and Mrs. Bronk left for a visit to the Lemneczyk home the two little children apparently became anxious to see their parents and left for the above named place, a distance of about two miles northeast of Custer. After going some distance they met a lady who turned them back home for fear something might happen to them. They reached as far as the corner of St. Mary's church, when they turned west on the wrong road and traveled as far as the Wm. Wagner farm, where they were found on the road after several hours of search, at one o'clock in the morning. The younger one was sleeping, no doubt from cold and exhaustion.

PLAINFIELD

Mr. and Mrs. Chas. P. Allison visited relatives at Parrish, near Merrill, last week.
John Smith, Jr., left last week for Beaver Dam, where he expects to be employed this fall.
Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Butts drove over to Hancock Saturday and were guests of Mrs. Delia Butts over Sunday.
Mrs. Alfred Rozell took Saturday's train for Endeavor, where she spent Sunday and Monday with the family of her brother, Harry Nigh.
J. M. Hawans has moved his household goods in with Fred Lovejoy, near the depot, and Mr. and Mrs. Hawkins have gone to the Soldiers' Home near Waupaca to reside.
Dr. and Mrs. E. M. McIntosh came over from Waupaca in their auto last week and enjoyed a few days among old friends. While Mrs. McIntosh visited lady friends Tuesday the doctor took his auto and in company with John Smith, John Worden and Fred Smith, Jr., enjoyed a day chicken hunting.
Several farmers in the western part of this town have had their cows taken sick and Albert Walker had three die suddenly. Our veterinarian, A. W. Triche, sent part of one of the cows' stomachs to Madison to be analyzed. Gene Tibbitts, Clarence Weldon and Will Willis had cows sick in the same way but were saved by calling a veterinarian in time. Later Gene lost three cows by the same ailment.

Funeral of A. J. Larrabee.

The funeral of the late A. J. Larrabee was held from the residence of A. M. Gower, on Dixon street, last Friday afternoon. Rev. C. F. Spray officiated, followed by interment in Forest cemetery. His daughters, who live at Portland, Oregon, were not present, but authorized the interment of the remains here. The pallbearers were R. A. Cook, Bernard Kane, P. H. Cashin, Geo. H. Altenburg, Fred Kizer and W. B. Pett.

HOLD THEIR FIRST MEETING HERE OVER HALF CENTURY

A Good Program Carried Out by the Women's Club Last Saturday Afternoon.

The opening meeting of the Women's Club was held at their rooms in the public library last Saturday afternoon when a very entertaining program was given. The principal literary number was a talk by Mrs. N. A. Week on the "Menace of the Orient," showing much familiarity with her subject, not only from reading, but from personal investigation. A very animated discussion which followed was led by Mrs. Geo. E. Vaughn.
Mrs. J. D. Puffer of Ashland, a guest of Mrs. G. E. McDill, told of some of the things being accomplished by the women's clubs in her home city.
Mrs. C. C. Conlisk, as a representative of the proposed hospital association, asked the assistance of the ladies in raising a fund for the new institution. The members decided by a unanimous and rising vote that they would do everything possible to help the good work along.
The early part of the afternoon was devoted to a MacDowell program of music arranged by Mrs. L. R. Lamb and which consisted of the following numbers: Sketch, Mrs. Gregory; "Autumn," "To a Water Lily," and "Arabesque," Miss Winifred Nelson; "Thy Beaming Eyes," Mrs. Gregory; Scotch poem, Miss Winifred Nelson. Each number was a musical treat and was highly enjoyed by the audience.

Hardly the Proper Caper.

Rosholt Record: An exemplary demonstration of degradation is to drive thru the village's principle thoroughfare at a break neck speed during the slumber hours and hoot as the trying to arouse Galloway - Saturday evenings for instance!

Mrs. Wm. Steffanus, Who Located in Sharon Fifty-Two Years Ago, Called to Her Long Rest.

And still another of the early pioneers of Portage county, in the person of Mrs. Wm. Steffanus, passed away at the home of her daughter, Mrs. Elizabeth Steffanus, in the town of Sharon, at 11 o'clock last Saturday night. Death was due to advancing weakness, caused by old age, her health having gradually failed for the past few years. She was able to be about, however, nearly every day and sat at the dinner table as usual on Saturday. A little later she lay down and rapidly grew weaker to the end.
The deceased lady was born in Alsace-Lorraine, then a province of France, Nov. 1, 1820, and was therefore nearly 90 years of age. She came to this country when a girl and was married in New York city to Wm. Steffanus, who was also a native of the same province. They came to Portage county 52 years ago and located upon the farm in Sharon where both remained during the balance of their lives. Mr. Steffanus passing away Aug. 14, 1886. They were among the first settlers in that town and both were highly respected, industrious and enterprising. Much of the building stone that is to be seen today in the farm houses and other structures in that neighborhood was secured from a quarry on the Steffanus homestead. They were the parents of five children, only two of whom survive. These are Mrs. Henry Lauer of St. Paul and Mrs. John Britz of Stockton. A brother, the late Joseph Paupann of Eau Claire, passed away a few years ago and was the only other member of the family in this country.
The funeral, which was largely attended, took place from St. Martin's

NEW FALL GOODS

(Hats, Shirts, Neckwear and all goods for Men and Boys.)

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CUNNEEN & CO.'S

455 Main Street

Catholic church at Ellis at 10 o'clock Tuesday forenoon, Rev. Geo. A. Schemmer officiating. The pallbearers were Peter Bungert, N. Elden-Mitschen, John Koltz, Henry Schleismann, Alois Miller and Martin Koselek.

W. F. Owen transacted legal business at Appleton last Friday.

Take Warning.

To whom it may concern.—All persons are hereby warned not to purchase a note for \$50 given by the undersigned Michael and Ernestine Mahler to J. F. Pleet, as we refuse to pay the principal or interest on said note.

M. and E. Mahler. Almond, Wis., rte. 3, Sept. 23, 1910.

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NEW FALL
FASHIONS
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FURS,
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at reasonable prices

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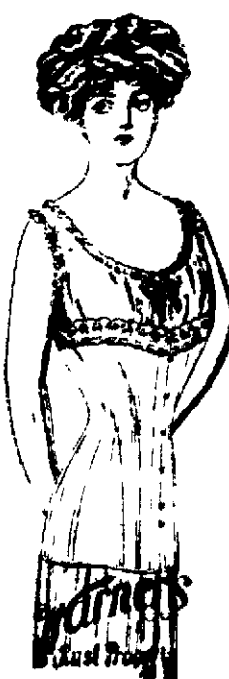
Underwear

Everybody likes comfortable underwear. Many take chances on various kinds that they know nothing about, with the result that they are never satisfied. The right way is to select some brand that has a reputation: for instance Mentor or Forest Mills Underwear. We have them in Union or Separate garments, as you prefer, for Ladies and Children.

Corsets

We carry a line of Corsets that are designed to supply the most exacting women --- such well known brands as W. B., Warners, Royal Worcester and Nemo.

Ever Pair Warranted.

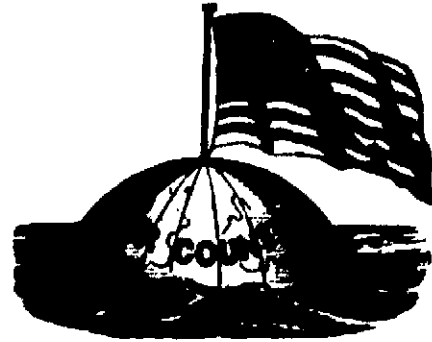


Moll-Glennon Co.

Not Coughing Today?

Yet you may cough... when it comes... Cherry Pectoral... for cough first appears... and. Your doctor's approval of its use will certainly... all doubt at rest. It is he says... alcohol in this cough medicine.

Robust health is a great safeguard against attacks of throat and lung troubles, but constipation will destroy the best of health. Ask your doctor about Ayer's Pills.



STEVENS POINT, WIS., SEPTEMBER 28, 1910.

BRIEF NEWS NOTES FOR THE BUSY MAN

MOST IMPORTANT EVENTS OF
THE PAST WEEK TOLD IN
CONDENSED FORM.

ROUND ABOUT THE WORLD

Complete Review of Happenings of
Greatest Interest from All Parts of
the Globe—Latest Home and For-
eign Items.

PERSONAL.

Kermit Roosevelt returned to New York from Europe, and denied that he went abroad to woo Miss Rutherford, a stepdaughter of W. K. Vanderbilt.

Gen. Samuel Crocker Lawrence's resignation as most puissant grand commander was announced at a session of the supreme council of sovereign grand inspectors general of the thirty-third degree Ancient Scottish Rite at Detroit.

Colonel Roosevelt in Oyster Bay refused to discuss Mrs. Bellamy Storer's letter attacking his veracity. "That incident was closed four years ago," he said. Archbishop Ireland also refused to make any statement.

Gen. Charles R. Bratton, the blind Republican leader of Rhode Island and a powerful factor in Republican national politics, died at Providence as the result of injuries received in a fall a few days ago. He fractured his thigh, and his advanced age made recovery impossible.

The resignation of Gen. Samuel Crocker Lawrence of Medford, Mass., most puissant grand commander, came as climax to a long session of the supreme council of sovereign grand inspectors general of the thirty-third and last degree Ancient and Accepted Scottish Rite of the northern masonic jurisdiction of the United States at Detroit.

Senator Stephen B. Elkins is ill at his home, Elkins, W. Va. Worried over the talk regarding his daughter and the duke of the Abruzzi is said to be the cause.

Robert Alphonso Taft, son of the president, who graduated from the Yale academic department in June, will enter the Harvard law school this fall.

GENERAL NEWS.

The senatorial subcommittee on privileges and elections, which convened at Chicago to investigate the alleged fraud and corruption in the election of Senator William Lorimer, decided to proceed at this time with the taking of testimony, and not to postpone action until after the November elections, as urged by the senator's attorney, Elbridge Haney, at the first open session of the committee.

Twelve passengers on a street car on the Appalachian exposition line at Knoxville, Tenn., were injured in a stampede that followed the burning out of a fuse. Mrs. A. S. J. Davis may die. She jumped and was trampled on.

Sixteen persons lost their lives and thirteen others suffered injuries in the wreck two miles east of Clayton, Kan., of west-bound Rock Island passenger train No. 27. Most of the dead and injured were in the smoker and one of the day coaches. The wreck was the result of a cloudburst which carried out a mass of earth at a long fill, washing out nearly a thousand feet of track.

A work train on the Southern Indiana railroad was in collision with a passenger train a few miles south of Terre Haute, Ind., and 19 persons were injured, four of them perhaps fatally.

Boodlers, grafters and legislative corruption are denounced in strong terms in the platform adopted by the Democratic state convention, held at East St. Louis, Ill. The initiative and referendum, an anti-corrupt practices act, and an honest extension of civil service, are given as the remedies for crookedness in public office and administration. The Deneen administration, accused of broken promises on civil service, was denounced.

The Republican state convention which met at Springfield, Ill., adopted a platform approving the administrations of President Taft and Governor Deneen. The tariff plank follows the lines laid down in the president's campaign letter to Chairman McKinley of the Republican congressional committee.

Georges Chavez, the Peruvian aviator, flew from Brig, Switzerland, over the Simplon pass and arrived at Domodossola, on the Italian side of the Alps. In alighting Chavez fell beneath his machine. He was badly injured and his monoplane was destroyed.

George Robertson, one time Vanderbilt cup race winner, and one of the best-known automobile drivers of America, was thrown on the Massapequa curve on the Long Island motor parkway and painfully injured. Robertson was going seventy miles an hour in a practise spin for the Vanderbilt cup next week.

Stephen Stuper, aged nineteen, employed at the Homestead (Pa.) Steel works, was instantly killed while fooling with an arc lamp. His hand came in contact with a live wire and 4,800 volts of electricity passed through him.

"It is our opinion that Porter Charlton is of unsound mind and liable to attacks of impulsive violence, and that his moral sense is pathologically defective. He should be taken to a hospital for the insane and there kept indefinitely." This is the conclusion reached by the alienists who examined the slayer of Mrs. Scott Castle, the actress, who was Charlton's wife, at Lake Como, Italy, last June.

The first casualty of the Adirondack hunting season has been reported at Glens Falls, N. Y. Mistaken by his son for a deer, William Aubrey was fatally shot in the mountains near there.

Leaders of the radical party who are accused of being implicated in a plot against the life of President Jose Figueroa Alcorta of Argentina, have been arrested at Buenos Aires.

Philadelphia Athletics are the 1910 champions of the American baseball league. The Chicago White Sox team aided Philadelphia in clinching its grip on the pennant when it defeated the New York Highlanders. Philadelphia performed its part in the decision of the flag for the season by defeating the Cleveland.

Prof. Lundy Harris of Nashville, husband of the woman who wrote "The Circuit Rider's Wife," committed suicide at Pine Lodge, near Cartersville, Ga. Professor Harris, it is believed, was the circuit rider of whom his wife wrote.

It is reported at Jerusalem that excavations on the Mount of Olives have resulted in the discovery of the remains of a Christian church dating from about the year 300. This is supposed to mark the spot where Christ taught the disciples how to pray.

William Jennings Bryan has announced publicly that he had bolted the nomination of James C. Dahlgren, Democratic nominee for governor of Nebraska.

Declaring that the days of the "pork barrel" should be numbered, President Taft, in an address at the Ohio Valley exposition, Cincinnati, pointed out the evils of a majority in any legislative body passing laws to benefit only sections of the country, ignoring the territory represented by the minority. The president said that the country is roused against corrupt control of legislative agencies, but that selfish combinations of the representatives of the majority are equally dangerous.

The Springfield (Mass.) Republican printed a letter from Mrs. Bellamy Storer, written in France, September 6, reviewing the controversy between the Storer and Mr. Roosevelt concerning the allegation that the former president authorized Mr. Storer when ambassador to Austria-Hungary to visit Pope Pius X. and ask him to make Archbishop Ireland of St. Paul a cardinal.

At the close of the police court proceedings in London Dr. Hawley H. Crippen and Ethel Clare Leneve were committed for trial charged with the murder of the doctor's wife, Belle Elmore.

Clifford Judd shot and killed his brother-in-law, Theron Plumb, in St. Lawrence county, New York, mistaking him for a deer. After discovering his mistake Judd was prostrated.

Organization of the Middle States Textile Manufacturers' association was perfected at a meeting in Louisville, Ky., of representatives of mills in Ohio, Indiana, Illinois, Kentucky, Tennessee, Michigan, Missouri and Wisconsin.

Seven-year-old Anita Chicago Comfort arrived in San Francisco on the Manchuria from Shanghai, China, and started for Chicago to meet her father, Lieut. J. H. Comfort, recruiting officer for the navy.

A Toledo physician, by the means of an electric light, has been able to discover and remove a tooth that was lodged in the lung of Mrs. G. Cole of Van Wert, O.

Warning was served on the railroads at the rate hearing in Chicago by Interstate Commerce Commissioner Franklin K. Lane, that they must meet the increased cost of operation by some other means than the advancement of freight rates.

Benjamin Franklin, a colored porter on the Burlington, after fatally shooting Deputy Sheriff Pound in Billings, Mont., was shot and killed by two policemen. Franklin, armed, was hunting for a man he said had robbed him, and resisted arrest.

The national encampment of the Grand Army of the Republic elected John E. Gilman of Boston commander-in-chief for the ensuing year. John McElroy, the only other aspirant for the office, withdrawing his name prior to the election.

GRAFTERS ARE HIT

BOTH ILLINOIS STATE POLITICAL
CONVENTIONS SCORE COR-
RUPT LEGISLATORS.

REPUBLICANS PRAISE TAFT

President's Tariff Plan Approved—
Democrats Denounce Their Oppo-
nents for Failure to Carry Out Plat-
form for Revision.

Springfield, Ill.—The administration of President Taft and Governor Deneen were heartily indorsed and a platform was adopted containing a tariff plank along the lines laid down by the president's campaign letter to Congressman McKinley by the Republican state convention which met here Friday.

The platform commends President Taft and congress, who, as "agents of the people, have carried forward another step the principles and policies which have dominated and controlled the government of the United States for the most progressive half century of civilized life." Continuing it says: "We congratulate the country upon the unparalleled legislative accomplishment in enacting into law practically all of the pledges of the last Republican national platform."

"We commend President Taft for his impartial and fearless administration of the national laws. He has brought to the bar of justice those implicated in sugar frauds against the government, recovering millions of revenue due; successfully intervened to prevent arbitrary increases in freight rates; impartially enforced the anti-trust law and enforced a policy of economy in governmental expenditures without crippling the public service."

Other recommendations are: For a state-wide civil service law. Amendment of state election laws to prevent fraudulent voting. A corrupt practices act. Strengthening of the direct-primary law.

An employers' liability and workmen's compensation act. Closer regulation of railroads and public service corporation. Abolition of minority representation.

A constitutional amendment providing for the initiative and referendum. Direct vote for senators. State ownership of water power sites.

On legislative scandals the platform says: "We denounce the corruption that has been exposed in the last general assembly and demand the most rigid investigation thereof by grand juries and courts; we favor the exhaustive investigation of the charges which have been made and punishment where guilt is proved."

"We denounce the bipartisan combination of 60 Democrats and 24 Republicans, which controlled the legislative machinery of the house of representatives in the last general assembly and disavow any party responsibility therefor."

Governor Deneen was named for temporary chairman, was made permanent chairman and delivered the keynote address of the gathering.

Otis W. Holt, a banker of Geneseo, was nominated for trustee of the University of Illinois to succeed Dr. Charles Davidson of Chicago, who resigned. Mrs. Mary A. Bussey of Urbana and W. L. Abbott of Chicago were renominated for the other two trusteeships.

East St. Louis, Ill.—Boodlers, grafters and legislative corruption are denounced in strong terms in the platform adopted by the Democratic state convention, Friday. The initiative and referendum, an anti-corrupt practices act, and an honest extension of civil service, are given as the remedies for crookedness in public office and administration. The Deneen administration, accused of broken promises on civil service, was denounced. Congressman Henry T. Rainey was chairman of the convention and in his speech declared that the efforts of the "insurgent" congressman had been purposeless and futile, and predicted general Democratic victories throughout the country in the coming election.

Anna E. Nichols of Chicago was nominated for trustee of the Illinois university by John J. Coughlin of the First district delegation. George S. Page of Peoria, A. L. White of Vermilion county, John R. Trevett of Champaign, Isaac S. Raymond of Champaign, John G. McLennan and Fanny Hacker also were nominated.

On the tariff the platform says: "We denounce the Republican party for its failure to revise the tariff downward in accordance with the pledges contained in its platform as explained by President Taft in the last national campaign."

35 DEAD IN WRECK

TRACTION CARS ON WABASH
VALLEY LINE COLLIDE AT
KINGSLAND, IND.

MANY PASSENGERS INJURED

Accident Results From Misunderstand-
ing of Orders—Victims Were on
Way to Fair at Fort
Wayne.

Fort Wayne, Ind.—A head-end collision at Kingsland, a little station four miles north of Bluffton and 20 miles south of Fort Wayne on the Bluffton division of the Fort Wayne & Wabash Valley Interurban Wednesday, resulted in the death of 35 persons and perhaps several of those injured will be added to the death roll. Those killed were in the north-bound local car bound for the Fort Wayne fair.

The dead:
Motorman Charles Van Dine.
Conductor Ernest Spillner.
Conductor Dell Wilson.
J. E. Hoffman, Marion, Ind.
F. E. Thompson, Ann Arbor, Mich.
Frank Smith, Montpelier, Ind.
Frank King, Warren, Ind.
Mrs. Frank King.
Loia King, Warren.
Frank Parker, Bluffton.
Thomas Gordon, Bluffton.
Phyne Falk, Bluffton.
Harold Nelson, Bluffton.
Seymour Robinson, Bluffton.
Dell Locke, Bluffton.
R. S. Moik, Bryan, O.
W. E. Bowman, Bluffton.
A. R. Hyde, Portland.
E. E. Stuckey, Vera Cruz.
William Beers, Bluffton.
Lloyd Brown, Bluffton.
L. C. Justus, Bluffton.
S. H. Robinson, Bluffton.
H. D. Cook, Bluffton.
Ernest Crouse, Bluffton.
Silas Thomas, Warren.
Ralph Walser, Bluffton.
W. D. Burgen, Bluffton.
Oscar Zimmer, Bluffton.
Miss Pearl Saylor, Bluffton.
R. F. Folk, Washington, Ind.
Jacob Schwarz, Uniondale.
F. R. Tamm, Warren, Ind.
John W. Tribolet, Bluffton.
Charles Reber, Uniondale.
The injured:
George Swethurst, Warren, Ind., fatally; Tom Gordon, Bluffton, fatally; A. N. Ellenberg, Berne, Ind., fatal; Frank Brown, Warren; Fred Kane, Bluffton; Fred Jones, Bluffton; Clyde Brown, Bluffton.

The wreck is said to have occurred from a misunderstanding of running orders. The road curves at the place of the disaster and both cars, running at a high rate of speed were aware of the danger in time to prevent the terrible slaughter. The north-bound local car was crowded with passengers, and despite the strenuous efforts of both crews to prevent the collision, the heavy limited coach completely telescoped the lighter car, plowing its way through the crowd of passengers and causing instant death to more than a score.

The story of the wreck as told by John R. Boyd of Bluffton, the only passenger to escape, follows:

"I was the last passenger to get aboard the car at Bluffton. The people were packed tightly in the rear of the car and it was some little time after the car started before I got aboard the steps on the rear platform. The conductor then was trying to get the people to move forward into the less crowded portion of the car there. I decided to avoid the crush and got down on the step. After we had passed Kingsland and were rounding a curve I swung out a bit and got a long view ahead. Probably a distance of 200 yards from us was the limited bearing down at terrific speed. We were then going at a speed of approximately 15 miles an hour. Then it appeared to me the motorman of the local car saw the approaching collision and lost his head.

"Our car suddenly gave a lunge forward. Our speed increased to fully twenty-five miles and hour almost at once. The limited bearing down upon us at a rate of 40 miles an hour loomed up not a hundred feet away. I saw what was coming and dropped off.

"There was a splintering crash. The big limited car like an angry monster seemed to climb upon the trailer and heavier loaded car and from its pilot to within six feet of the rear swept over the doomed coach, taking it almost clean. That anything alive could have survived that terrible sweep of splintered wood and twisted steel, is a miracle.

"One by one the dead were taken from the wreck and taken care of on the ground the best that could be done under the circumstances. The injured were taken from the wreckage as fast as it could be cut away. Fortunately there was no means by which the debris could be kindled or flames would have added to the death list and to the horror of the disaster."

SIX DEAD IN CRASH

TRACTION COACH COLLIDES
WITH CAR NEAR TIP-
TON, IND.

TWELVE PERSONS ARE HURT

Second Smashup on Indiana Roads
Within Week—Motorman Who
Jumped and Saved Himself Says,
"I Guess We Overran Instructions."

Tipton, Ind.—In a collision on the Indiana Union Traction road two miles north of this city Saturday six persons were killed and 12 others more or less seriously injured.

This was the second disaster on Indiana traction lines within a week, the first having occurred on the Wabash Valley line at Kingsland on Wednesday.

In both cases there was a mistake in orders—one of the trains overran the station at which it was to stop and met the other on a sharp curve in a head-on collision.

The dead:
Baker, Joseph, motorman, Logansport.

Broo, Lewis, Kokomo, Ind.
Holthouser, Dr. W. C., Brooklyn
Holthouser, W. H., Brooklyn.
Rallsback, Verdel, Hymenia, Ind.
Walsh, D. F., Marshall, Mich.

Dr. W. C. Holthouser, who was killed in the wreck, was on his way to Kokomo, Ind., where he was to have been married. His brother, who also was killed, was to have been the best man at the wedding. The bride to have been Miss Nellie Coxon, daughter of the secretary of the Great Western Pottery company of Kokomo.

The collision was between a north-bound limited passenger train and a south-bound freight. The south-bound motorman had orders to wait at the first stop north of the crossing, it is said, but overran that point, thinking he could make another switch.

A clump of trees hid the approaching cars and they came together at a curve. The freight train plowed through the front of the limited, demolishing the smoker. The motorman and all the passengers in the smoking compartment of the limited were killed. The motorman and conductor on the freight car jumped and were not injured.

"I guess we overran the orders," said Motorman Dan Lacy, when he had fully recovered from the shock caused by jumping from his car. Conductor Seebree was equally dazed at the occurrence and could not explain why it was they had passed the switch.

FIND NEW BRIBE EVIDENCE

Charles Luke, Now Dead, Is Said to
Have Confessed to Getting
\$1,000 for Vote.

Springfield, Ill.—State's Attorney Burke of Sangamon county has obtained information that another member of the Illinois legislature received \$1,000 for voting for William Lorimer for senator.

The man who made this admission of receiving cash for his vote was Charles S. Luke of Nashville, who represented the Forty-fourth district in the house, and who has since died. Mr. Burke obtained the knowledge of Luke's admission some time ago, but it could not be used as evidence in any pending criminal case.

It is pertinent, however, to the broader matter of Lorimer's election now under investigation by the senatorial committee in Chicago, and may be used in that inquiry.

The admission was made by Luke, according to one of Mr. Burke's staff familiar with the matter, to Hugh V. Murray of Carle, now state's attorney of Clinton county.

The date of the conversation in which Luke made the confession was August 18, 1909, months prior to the publication of the White confession and the corroborative confessions of Beckemeyer, Link and Holstlaw. Luke is said to have told Murray:

"I got \$1,000 for my vote for Lorimer and Beckemeyer was a fool if he didn't get the same."

Luke was one of those present in the Southern hotel bathroom in St. Louis, and his widow gave testimony before the Cook county grand jury that seemed to indicate that he had not been overlooked in the "jack-pot" distribution.

Ask Pardon for Walsh.

Washington—A petition for the immediate pardon of John R. Walsh, the Chicago banker now serving a term in Fort Leavenworth prison for irregularities in connection with the failure of the three Walsh banks, was filed Saturday in the department of justice by George T. Buckingham, representing the wife and sons of the prisoner. Accompanying the petition are a large number of letters from business men all over Illinois, the 12 jurors who convicted Walsh, stockholders of the wrecked bank, and many others.

WISCONSIN STATE NEWS

Fond Du Lac—Despite the fact that the committee which is to present a new missionary hymnal to the Episcopal convention in Cleveland will recommend the exclusion of Bishop Heber's "From Greenland's Icy Mountains," Bishop C. C. Grafton does not believe the objections to the hymn will cause its exclusion. He says the same objection against apostrophizing things of nature would apply to the singing of the "Benedictus," which is now rendered in all Episcopal churches and in which churchmen are accustomed to call upon the sun, the stars and heavens to please God.

La Crosse.—That the project of building a railroad from Readstown to Viroqua, which is being promoted by La Crosse capitalists, will be successfully launched, is the announcement made as a result of the reports received from the various localities affected by the enterprise. The bonding proposition has been carried in every community involved.

Fond du Lac.—Bishop J. J. Fox, Green Bay, conducted the dedication ceremonies in the new St. Joseph's church. The dedication sermon was given by the Rev. P. H. Durnin of St. Rose's church, Milwaukee. There was about twenty-five priests from Wisconsin parishes who assisted in the services. The dedication services were in the nature of a three day celebration.

Manitowoc.—A storm caused an aggregate loss of over \$10,000 to farmers near Manitowoc. Three large barns were struck by lightning and burned with several head of stock and large quantities of hay and grain. The power house of the Manitowoc Traction company was struck and put out of commission for several hours.

Madison.—Ward E. Hedger's appeal from the life sentence for wife murder imposed by the court in Milwaukee was argued before the supreme court. The errors mainly relied on by the attorneys for the defense in their argument for a new trial relate to the alleged insufficiency of the evidence to warrant the verdict of guilty. The argument was opened by Guy D. Goff who outlined the history of the case and the evidence.

Madison.—Prof. A. R. Hehlfeld of the German department of the university will be the principal speaker at the German day celebration in Turner hall on Oct. 9.

Madison.—Frederic K. Conover, reporter of the Wisconsin supreme court, filed a report with the board of trustees of the supreme court library showing that for the first time in the history of the supreme court all decided cases to date have been reported and published, or duly prepared for publication and in final type.

Beloit.—Burglars entered the high school and public library building, pried open the desks of Principal J. C. Pierson in the former place and of the librarian in the latter and secured about thirty dollars in cash. They also entered the home of H. E. Becker and took a gold watch valued at \$50.

Black River Falls.—William Belieu, an Indian boy sixteen years old, who had run away from the Indian school in Tomah, was killed by a train on the Omaha road near Mills-ton.

Appleton.—A son of Henry Bell was found on the river bank in an almost unconscious condition. He was cold and his heart had almost ceased beating. Physicians were not certain as to how the boy was afflicted.

Appleton.—Night Watchman Dennis Carroll was severely head while attempting to arrest two men. It is said that a third man gave assistance to the two whom Carroll was trying to take to the jail.

Fond du Lac.—Michael Horky and Irish Kulbert, Lake Winnebago fishermen, were arrested by Deputy Game Warden C. M. Follett on a charge of using black bass as bait on set lines.

Ladysmith.—Michael Strajkowski, charged with murder as a result of the shooting of Frederick Pierrou, was found guilty of manslaughter in the third degree.

Appleton.—The entries for the Fox River fair, which opened, far exceeds those of previous years in the line of poultry and cattle. New buildings were erected this year, but tents had to be brought into use to accommodate the overflow stock.

Sheboygan.—German day, October 6, will be celebrated in Sheboygan. The officers of the local German societies have a program nearly prepared.

Kenosha.—The Mungen livery stable was damaged to the extent of \$2,000 by fire. Two horses, valued at \$400 were so badly burned that it was necessary to kill them.

Madison.—William George Bruce, secretary of the Milwaukee Merchants and Manufacturers' association, will be the principal speaker at the dinner of the Commercial club here.

The COAST of CHANCE

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SYNOPSIS.

At a private view of the Chatworth jewel estate, to be sold at auction, the Chatworth ring, known as the Crew Idol, mysteriously disappears. Harry Cressy, who was present, describes the ring to his fiancée, Flora Gilsey, and her chaplain, Mrs. Clara Britton, as being like a heathen god, with a beautiful sapphire set in the head. Flora meets Mr. Kerr, an Englishman, at the club. In discussion, the disappearance of the ring, the exploits of an English thief, Farrell Ward, are recalled. Flora has a fancy that Harry and Kerr know something about the mystery. Kerr tells Flora that he has met Harry somewhere, but cannot place him. £2000 reward is offered for the return of the ring. Harry admits to Flora that he dislikes Kerr. Harry takes Flora to a Chinese goldsmith's to buy an engagement ring. An exquisite sapphire set in a hoop of brass is selected. Harry urges her not to wear it until it is reset. The possession of the ring seems to cast a spell over Flora. She becomes uneasy and apprehensive. Flora meets Kerr at a box party.

CHAPTER VIII.—Continued.

She felt of the stone. She drew off her glove and tried to look at it in the dim light, but couldn't get a gleam out of it. She was as impatient for the lights to go up that she might secretly be cheered by its wonder, as she had been that afternoon to get back from the luncheon and make sure it was still in the drawer. She must see it in spite of Clara at her right hand, whose little chiseled profile might turn upon her at any moment a full face of inquiry.

She held her left hand low in the shadow of her chair; and if, as the lights went up again, there was any change in the sapphire, it was merely a sharper brilliance, as if, like an eye, it had moods, and this was one of its moments of excitement. In its extraordinary luster it seemed to possess a beauty that could not be valued; and she wanted to hold it up to Kerr, to see if she couldn't startle him out of his mood—to see if he wouldn't respond to it, "Yes, there is more in it than you can touch."

She turned to him with the daring flash of timid spirits. It was so sharp a motion that he started instantly from his reverie to meet it, but his alacrity was mechanical. She felt the smile he summoned was slow, as if he returned, from a long distance, a little painfully to his present surroundings.

The intermezzo was playing, and to speak under the music he leaned so close his shoulder touched her chair. Through that narrow space between them, almost beneath his eyes, she moved her hand—a gesture so slightly emphasized as to seem accident. He had started to speak, but her motion seemed to stop his tongue. He looked hard at her hand, and something violent in his intentness made her clutch the side of the chair. Instantly she met his look, so fiercely, cruelly challenging, that it took her like a blow. For a moment they looked at each other, her eyes wide with fright, his narrowed to a glare under the terrible intensity of his brows. What had she done?

She was as shaken as if he had seized hold of her. If he had snatched the ring off her finger she wouldn't

have been more shocked. The whole box must be transfixed by him, and the whole house be looking at nothing but their little circle of horror! She was ready for it. She was braced for anything but the fact which actually confronted her—that no one had noticed them at all. It was monstrous that such a thing could have been without their knowing! But there was no face in all the orchestra, the crowded galleries, or the tiers of boxes to affirm that anything had happened; no face in their own box had even stirred, but Clara's, and that had merely turned from profile to the full, faintly inquiring, mild, and palely pink in the warm reflections of the red velvet curtains.

And what could Clara have seen, if she had seen at all, but Flora a little paler than usual with a hand that trembled; and what worse could Clara conjecture than that she was being silly about Kerr? She turned slowly toward him, and looked at him with a courage that was part of her fear. But wasn't she, in a way, being silly about Kerr? What had become of his expression that had threatened her? There was nothing left of it but her own violent impression.

And yet the thing had actually happened. Its evidence was before her. He had been silent. Now he was talking. He had been absent. Now she thought she had never seen him more vividly concerned with the moment. Yet for all his cool looks and diffuse talk around the box, she felt uneasily that his concern was pointed at her, and that he would never let her go. He only waited for the cover of the last act to come back to her single-handed.

She would have deflected his attack, but it was too quick, too unexpected for her to do more than sit helpless, and let him lift up her left hand, delicately between thumb and finger, as if in itself it was some rare, fine curio, and, bending close, contemplate the sapphire unwinkingly. She had an instant when she thought she must cry out, but how impossible in the awful publicity of her place—a pinnacle in the face of thousands! And after the first fluttered impulse came a certain reassurance in such a frank and trivial action. For all its intensity, how could it be construed otherwise than a lively if unconventional interest? It must have been her fancy which had discerned anything more than that in his first look. And yet, when he had laid her hand lightly back, and readjusted his monocle, and looked out, away from her, across the black house, she didn't know whether she was more reassured or troubled because he had not spoken a word. Yet the next moment he looked around at her.

"We shan't meet every evening in such a way as this," he said, and left the statement dangling unanswered between them. It sounded portentous—final. She couldn't answer. She could only look at him with a reflection of her trouble in her face.

"Are you surprised that I thought of that?" he inquired. "It's not so odd as you seem to think that I should want to see you again. I don't want to leave it to chance; do you?" He shot the question at her so suddenly, with such a casual eye, and such dry gravity of mouth, that he had her admission out of her before she realized the extent of its meaning.

"Then when are you at home?" he

asked her; and by his tone, he conveyed the impression that he was only making courteous response to some invitation she had offered him; though, when she thought, she had not offered it, he had got it out of her.

She answered somewhat stiffly: "Fridays, second and fourth."

He looked at her with a humorous twist of mouth. "What? So seldom?" She was impatient if he wouldn't be snubbed; but at the worst she wouldn't be cornered. "Oh, dear, no—but people who come at other times take a chance."

"Does that mean that I may take mine to-morrow?"

He was pressing her too hard. Why was he so anxious to see her, as he had not been the first night or yesterday, or even ten minutes ago? She, who, ten minutes ago, would have been glad, now was doing her best to put him off. She was silent a moment, considering the conventions, and then, like him, she abandoned them. Without a word she turned away from him. Her only desire now was to evade him, lest he should force her out of her non-committal attitude. She wanted to shield herself from further pursuit.

She drew her glove over the ring. The lights were imminent. It would be hard to hide the great flash of the jewel. And besides, she didn't trust it. She couldn't tell in what direction it might not strike out a spark of horror next.

The rustle of final departure was all over the house. The people in the box were stirring and beginning to stand up; and Flora saw Kerr turn and look at her. She wanted some one to stand between herself and Kerr, and it was to Harry that she turned; not alone that he was so large and adequate, but because she thought she saw in him an inclination to step into that very place where she wanted him. She saw he was a little sullen, and though she didn't suspect him quite of jealousy, she wondered if he had not a right to blame her for the appearance of flirtation that she and Kerr must have presented. Then how much more might he blame her for what she had actually done—for deliberately showing the sapphire to Kerr! The very thought of it frightened her. She talked the harder, she even took hold of Harry's arm to be sure of keeping him there between her and what she was afraid of, as they came out on the sidewalk and stood waiting in the windy night for the approach of their carriage lights.

Row upon row of street lamps flared in the traveling gusts. The midnight noises of the city were at their loudest; and half their volume seemed to be a scattered chorus of hoarse voices yelling all together like a pack of wolves. What was this fresh quarry of the press, Flora wondered, that made it give tongue so hideously?

She had stooped her head to the carriage door, when Harry stopped and took one of the damp papers from a crier in the pack. She saw the headline. It covered half the sheet—the great figure that was offered for the return of the Chatworth ring.

CHAPTER IX.

ILLUMINATION.

Just when the two ideas had coalesced in her mind Flora couldn't be sure. It had been some time in the first dark hour that she had spent wide awake in her bed. There had been two ideas distinctly. Two impressions of the evening remained with her; and the last one, the great figures that had stared at her from the paper, the fact that had been Harry's secret, made common now in round numbers, had for the moment swallowed up the first.

For all the way home that sum was kept before her by Clara's talk. She remembered nothing of that talk except that it hadn't been able for a moment to leave the Chatworth ring alone. It had been aimed at Harry, but it had fallen to Flora herself to answer Clara's quick speculations, for Harry had been obstinately silent, though not indifferent, as if in his own mind he was as unable to leave it alone as Clara. One with silence, one with her talk, they had written the figures of the reward so blazingly in Flora's mind that for the moment she could see nothing else. Yet now she was alone her first adventure recurred to her. As soon as she was quiet in the dark there came back with reminiscent terror the look that Kerr had given her in the box. She was afraid of the meaning of his look which she didn't understand. It only established in her mind a great significance for the sapphire, if it could produce such an expression on a human face. It had given him more than a mere expression. It had given him an impulse for pursuit, as if, like a magnet, it was fairly dragging him. He had covered his impulse by his very frankness, but she knew he had pursued her—that for the matter of seeing her again he had hunted her down. And what had followed? Why, she was back again to the great figures in the paper.

At first it seemed as though she had taken a clean leap from one subject to another. She had in no way connected them. But all at once they were connected. She couldn't separate them. She didn't know whether she had been stupid not to have seen them so before, or whether she was stupid to see them so now. For the thought that had sprung up in her

mind was monstrous. It startled her so broad awake that she sat up in bed to meet it the more alertly.

The room was dark except for now and again the yellow square of light, from some passing cable car, traveling along the ceiling. The four walls around her, their dark bulks of furniture and light ripple of moving curtains, shut her up with this monster of her mind. It had sprung upon her from the solid actualities of the night. And, yes, of the day before—and the night before that. Oh, she had known well enough that there had been something wrong at the goldsmith's shop. She had felt it even before she had seen the sapphire; and afterward how it had held them, both herself and Harry! To have moved Harry it must be something indeed! Had he suspected it then, or had he only wondered?

If he had suspected why hadn't he spoken of it? Well, her appalling fancy prompted, hadn't he spoken of it?—though not to her. There flashed back to her the memory of him there in the back of the shop with the blue-eyed Chinaman. How furiously he had assailed the little man! She could be almost sure that the monstrous idea which had just overtaken her had, however fleetingly, flashed before Harry's mind in the goldsmith's shop. But surely he couldn't have entertained it for a moment. That was impossible, or he would never have let her take the sapphire—Harry, who had seen the ring, the very Crew Idol itself, within the 24 hours.

"A little heathen god curled round himself with a big blue stone on the top of his head," Harry hadn't said what sort of stone it was; but Kerr had said it was a sapphire. There was a sapphire on her, and now. She touched it with her finger tips cautiously, as if to touch something hot. So near to her! In the same room with her! On her own hand! It was too much to be alone with in the dark! She reached out softly, as if she feared to disturb some threatening presence lurking around her, and lit the small night lamp on the low table by her bed. The shade was yellow, and that contended with the blue of the sapphire, but couldn't break its light. With the first flash of its splendor in her face she felt certainty threatening her. She shook the ring quickly off her finger and it fell with a light clatter on the table's marble top—fell with the sapphire face down, and all its light hidden. She took it up again a little fearfully, as if it might have got some harm; and again while she looked at it it seemed to her that nothing that happened about this jewel could be too extraordinary. If only it had been less wonderful, less beautiful, she would not have felt so terribly afraid! She put it back on the table and for a moment held her hand over it, as if she imprisoned a living thing.

Then, without looking again, she got out of bed and went to the window. It overlooked the dark steep of the garden, the moving trees and the lighter plane of the water. She leaned out, far out. Black house-tops marched against the bay, and between them, light by light, her eyes followed the street lamps down to the shore.

Oh, to escape out of this window into the innocent, sleeping city, away from the horror at her back! To look in from the outside and be even sure there was a horror! And if there was, to run away into the wide soft dark!

But there was another way to be rid of it. The real idea occurred to her. How easy it would be to take it—that beautiful thing—and throw it; throw it as hard as she could, and let the night take care of it. The window was open, as if it stood ready, and there was the ring on the table. She went to it, looked at it a moment without touching it, holding her hands away.

Then with a little shiver she backed away from it and sat down on the foot of the bed. She looked pale and little, as if the eye of the ring, blazing under the feeble lamp, like the evil-eye, had sapped her fire and youth. She hugged her arms around her updrawn knees, and resting her chin upon them eyed the sapphire bravely.

"I suppose you know I can't throw you away," she murmured, "and yet I can't keep you!" She pondered, chin in hand. To take it to Harry! That seemed the natural thing to do—the simplest way to be rid of it. She hesitated.

"If I only knew! If I only were sure!" She locked her fingers closer, staring hard. If it had been the whole Crew Idol, the undimmed god himself, then there would have been less terror, and one plain thing to do. She looked hard at the sapphire setting, as if she hoped to discover upon its brilliance some tell-tale trace of old soft gold; but there was only one great, glassy, polished eye, and out of what head it had come, whether from the forehead of the Crew Idol, or from that of some unheralded deity, who was there who could tell her?

She tried to summon a coherent thought, but again it was only a flash out of the darkness.

"Kerr! Why, he knows more than I." She looked at this stupidly for a moment as if it were too large to take in at once. Of course he must have known! Why hadn't she thought of that before?

What series of circumstances might have led up to Kerr's knowledge she could not dream. He was one of whom

nothing was incredible. From the first moment his face had shot into the light, from the moment she had heard his voice, like color in the level voices around him, she had been bewildered by his variety.

And where, she asked herself in a summing up, might such a man not be found? But there were few places, indeed, in even the broadest plain of possibility, which could hold knowledge of so particular and piercing a quality as his look had implied. There had been so much more than curiosity or surprise in it. She could hardly face the memory of it, so cruelly it had struck her. There was no doubt in her mind that Kerr had seen the ring. Somewhere in the pageant of his experience he had met it, known it—but what he wanted of it—

She broke off that thought, and looked long at the little flame of the lamp. It was strange, but there was no doubt in her mind but that he wanted it. That had been the strongest thing in his look. She felt herself picking her way along a very narrow path, one step over either edge of which would plunge her chasms deep. Now she snatched at a frail sapling to save herself. The fact that Kerr knew her stone didn't prove it belonged to the Crew Idol. And if it didn't—if it wasn't the crown of the heathen god, then her whole dreadful supposition fell to pieces. But she hadn't proved it, and the simplest way was just to ask Kerr. Her chance for that was the chance he had fought so hard for, the chance of their meeting the next day.

It seemed it should be simple, it should be easy to face Kerr with her question; but she was possessed by the apprehension that it would be neither. Would the question she had to ask be a safe thing to give him? And if she dared undertake it and should be overpowered after all—then everything would be lost.

CHAPTER X.

A Lady Unveiled.

She awakened in the morning to some one knocking. She thought the sound had been going on for a long time, but, now she was finally roused, it had stopped. This was odd, for no one came to her in the morning except Marrika, and it was tiresome to be thus imperatively beset before she was half awake. Now the knocking came again with a level, unimpatient repetition, and she called, "Come in!" at which Clara, in a pale morning gown, promptly entered—an apparition as cool and smooth and burnished as if she had spent the night, like a French doll, in tissue paper.

Clara's coming in in the morning was an unheard-of thing. Flora was taken aback.

"Why, Clara!" She was blank with astonishment. She sat up, flushed and tumbled, and still blinking. "I hope I didn't keep you knocking long."

"Oh, no, indeed; only three taps." Clara looked straight through Flora's astonishment, as if there had been no such thing in evidence. She drew up a chair and sat down beside the bed. It was a rocking chair, but it did not sway with her calm poise.

"It isn't so very late," she said, "but I have ordered your breakfast. I thought you would want it if you had that ten-o'clock appointment; and there is something I want to ask you



before you go out. Had you any idea the Herricks were in straits?"

"The young Herricks?"

"Oh, no! The old Herricks, the Herricks, Mrs. Herrick whom you so much admire! Of course, one isn't told; but they must be, to be willing to let the old place."

"Not the San Mateo place?" said Flora, with a stir of interest.

Clara placidly nodded.

"Why, I should love that!" Flora frankly confessed.

"Well," Clara conceded, "at any rate we know it's genuine, and that's a consolation. The number of imitations going about and the way people pick them up is appalling! While I was getting that rug for you at Vigo's yesterday, Ella Buller came in and bought three imitation Bokharas, with the greatest enthusiasm. She buys quantities, and she's always taken in. It is enough to make one nervous about the people one sits next to at dinner there. One cannot help suspecting them of being some of Ella's bargains. I wonder, now, where she picked up that Kerr."

This finale failed to take Flora off her guard. "At any rate, he is odd enough to be genuine," she said with a gleam of malice.

"Oh, no doubt of that," Clara mildly assented, "but genuine what?"

"Why, gentleman at large," said Flora, and quickly wanted to recall it, for Clara's glance seemed to give it a double significance. "I mean," she added, "just one of those chronic travelers who have nothing else to do, and whose way must be paved with letters of introduction,"—she floundered. "At least, that was the idea he gave of himself." She broke off, doubly angry that she had tried to explain Kerr, and tried to explain herself, when the circumstances required nothing of the sort. She was sure Clara had not missed her nervousness, though Clara made no sign. Her eyes only traveled a second time to Flora's hands, as if among the flare of red and white jewels she was expecting to see another color. To Flora's palpitating consciousness this look made a perfect connection with Clara's next remark.

"At least his manners are odd enough! There was a minute last night when he was really quite startling."

Flora felt a small, warm spot of color increasing in the middle of each cheek. She drew a long breath, as if to draw in courage. Then Clara had really seen! That smooth, bluish look of hers, last night, had seen everything!

"I am afraid he annoyed you, Flora."

The girl looked into the kindly solicitude of Clara's face with a hard, almost passionate incredulity.

"These continentals," she went on, now lightly swaying to and fro in her chair, "have singular notions of American women. They take us for savages, my dear."

(TO BE CONTINUED)



Instantly She Met His Look, So Fiercely, Cruelly Challenging.



"I Wonder, Now, Where She Picked Up That Kerr?"



Mrs. Pondman—fell into a pond! Oh! oh! and with your best pants on! Bertie—Well, I didn't have time to take 'em off!

Puzzled by Wireless.
"Mistah Jenkins," asked an old negro of Atlanta of his employer, "would y' be so good, sah, as to explain to me 'bout this wireless telegraph business I hears 'em a-talking 'bout'?"

"Why, certainly, Henry," responded the employer, "though I can do so only in a general way, as I myself know little of the subject. The thing consists in sending messages through the air instead of over wires."

"Yassah," said Henry, "I knows 'bout dat; but, sah, what beats me is how dey fasten the air to the poles!"

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HORTICULTURE



PICK MELONS FOR SHIPMENT

To Reach Market in Firm Condition and Retain Flavor is Excellent Trait for Farmer.

(By JOHN W. LLOYD)
There is considerable difference of opinion as to the exact stage of maturity at which melons should be picked for shipment. If allowed to become too ripe before picking, they become soft by the time they have reached the market, and often must be sacrificed in order to effect an immediate sale.

If picked too green, the melons reach the market in firm condition but are lacking in flavor, and not desired by the best trade. It is a nice point to pick melons at such a degree of ripeness that they will reach the market in firm condition, and yet possess the requisite flavor.

The rapidity of softening after picking varies with the temperature to which the melons are subjected. The cooler they can be kept after picking, the longer they can be allowed to remain on the vines and the better flavor they will have. It is, therefore, essential that the melons be placed in the shade as soon as possible after picking, and be kept shaded until they are loaded into the car.

For the same reason, ripe melons can be shipped under refrigeration than in ventilated cars.

The condition of the vines and the rapidity of ripening of the melons in the field will also have a bearing upon the stage of maturity at which they should be picked.

While it is true that no rule can be given for picking melons that will apply under all conditions, and that the grower must exercise judgment in reference to each day's picking, the ideal will be attained when the conditions are such that the melons will reach the market in the best condition if picked as soon as the fruit will part readily from the stem when the latter is pressed with the thumb and finger.

There is a tendency among growers to pick considerably before this point has been reached, in order to run no risk of the melons becoming soft in transit.

That proper grading results in the securing of better prices than indiscriminate packing is evidenced by the experience of certain growers who have departed from the usual custom, and practise a regular system of grading whereby three distinct grades of marketable melons are made, and shipped under three different brands.

SALVIAS AS VASE FLOWERS

One of the Most Popular of Common Flowers and Well Deserves Its Great Popularity.

The Salvia splendens, or scarlet sage, makes a beautiful vase flower, although it is not seen in vases as often as it should be. Grown out of doors, it should be bedded in large masses and does best where the sun shines freely. If well cared for it will maintain its beautiful splendor of deep red from midsummer until frost cuts it down. It is important that the soil shall not contain too much nitrogen, as in that case the plants make too rank growth and produce few flowers. Lifted just before frost and



Salvias as Cut Flowers.

put in the window in a bright, warm place, salvias will remain very attractive for five or six weeks. There are about 650 species of this plant, which include all of the sage family. The meaning of salvia is "to keep safe or healthy," and refers to the medicinal properties of the common sage, but it is one of the most popular common flowers and well deserves its popularity.

Plum Rot.
Plum rot (monilia frustigena) can be diminished very materially by treating the branches with bordeaux mixture and removing all mummified plums. I have frequently noticed that mummified plums are centers of infection. The general winter treatment is also advisable for black rot of grapes and apple scab. Twig blight of apple and pear trees can be diminished by cutting off all the affected limbs in the winter and spring and spraying or washing with bordeaux mixture.

FRUIT EVAPORATOR IS HANDY

May Be Used for Raising Early Plants and for Many Other Purposes as Desired.

(By J. E. BRIDGMAN)
While the house or room illustrated was designed only for drying fruit, it may be used for raising early plants or for several other purposes.

The house is made of storm sash. The rear wall and the two gables are of six-inch flooring. The size will of course depend on the size of your storm sash; these come in various sizes, and may be secured of any lumber dealer or mail-order house. They cost from 90 cents to \$1.50 each.

A frame of 2x4-inch timbers is first built, and the sash fastened to same



FRUIT EVAPORATOR.

with screws. Three two-inch holes are bored in the rear wall, close to the top and covered with screen wire, to allow the steam and moisture to escape.

One sash on the end is hung on hinges for a door.

The fruit is spread in shallow trays, with screen wire for the bottoms. These trays are placed on brackets, and the fruit is away from the dust, dirt and insects and when dried it will be clean and fit for food. Should a sudden rain come up, you do not have to rush around and gather up the fruit from the shed-roof.

The house may of course be built any size, but one built with ten sash will be found ample for an ordinary family.

The house should be well painted, and be placed on a slight elevation.

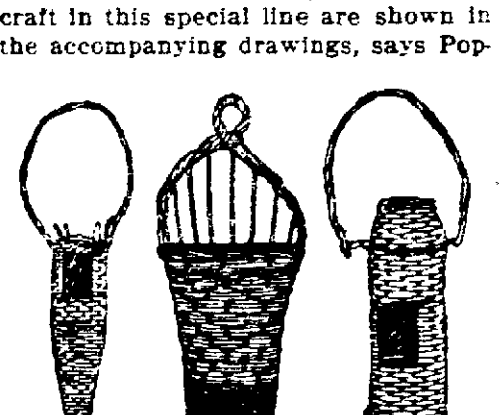
It is inexpensive, easily built, and provides a way to save the surplus fruit, that goes to waste on many farms, from year to year.

A surprisingly high temperature will be attained in this house in an ordinary sunshine.

FLOWER AND PLANT BASKET

Illustration Shows Three Artistic Examples—Two Small Ones for Cut Blooms.

Three excellent examples of basket craft in this special line are shown in the accompanying drawings, says Pop-



Artistic Hanging Baskets.

ular Mechanics. The two small baskets, one of which resembles a lantern in shape, are for cut flowers, and have cups inside to hold water. The large basket is designed to accommodate a potted plant.

HORTICULTURAL NOTES

Still continue to hoe and cultivate the strawberry bed.

Pears are best when ripened indoors instead of on the trees.

Young trees are especially subject to sun-scald, which causes damaged bark.

Pack your apples honestly and put your name and address on each barrel or box.

Asters should be copiously watered in the evening during this hot weather or the flowers will be poor.

No fruit should be allowed to go to waste as long as there is a possibility of making cider, vinegar and unforn-

mented grape juice.

Allow fuchsias to flower now and feed the roots a little when potbound. The fuchsia is not, however, a very gross feeding subject.

Placing a small heap of rich stable manure around the base of each tree in the orchard will prove to be a little time most profitably spent.

The bruise of an apple may not at once develop into rot, but will make a brown spot which disfigures and lessens the value of the fruit.

That corky old apple, the Ben Davis, still holds a high price in the city markets, because its fine appearance deceives the ignorant buyer.

Keep seedling stock of primulas, cinerarias and calceolarias as cool as possible in the frames or houses, shade lightly and allow abundance of air.

Fine, well-rotted manure is a good mulch for tea roses. Prune by cutting the blossoms lavishly with long stems, in order to induce vigorous blooming branches.

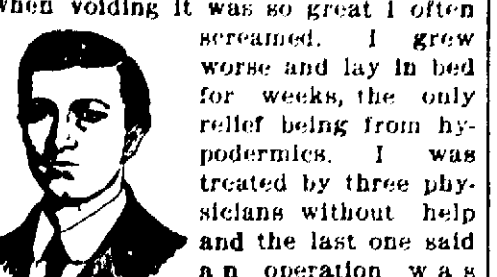
To induce nasturtiums to bloom in rich soil strip off most of the leaves and all seed pods and let the sun to the stalks. Nasturtiums bloom best in poor soil.

Pots and boxes of strelitzia should be moved around occasionally to prevent rooting through too much, also chrysanthemums or other trailing subjects.

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AN EXCUSE FOR EACH.



Mother (severely)—How many strawberries have you eaten out of this basket, Ethel?

Ethel—Only two. One to see how it tasted, and the other to take the taste out of my mouth.

African Logic.

Dusky Driver (ushering ladies from steamer)—Yes, marm—dis way, marm; ca'lage to de hotel.

First Lady (hesitating at step)—And what will you charge?

D. D.—One dollar, marm.

Second Lady—Half a dollar apiece, when the hotel is barely a block away? Why, we'd just as lief—

D. D. (interrupting)—Would you just as lief go in de hotel bus? Dey charges a quarter.

Ladies (in chorus)—Just as lief.

D. D. (with flourish)—Den step right into de ca'ge, marm, an' I'll take you fer de same as de bus—dey is some folks prefers de ca'ge and I has to charge accordin'—Virginia Vintage.

Science and Cheese.

A medical authority kindly assures us that as long as cheese isn't decayed it will not affect the health of the consumer. This is a fact that we have suspected for a considerable time. But how is the ordinary cheese epicure to detect the difference—unless he waits for results?

There is cheese so thoroughly disguised in the costume and aroma of decay that its proper standing on the sanitary testing table would puzzle a conjuror.

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But why pursue this subject?

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"I wonder if that sour Miss Oldgirl ever had any salad days?"

"I am sure she had the vinegar and peppery part of them."

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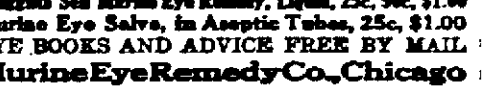
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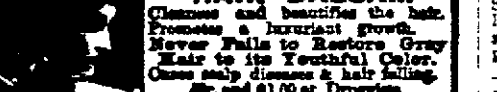
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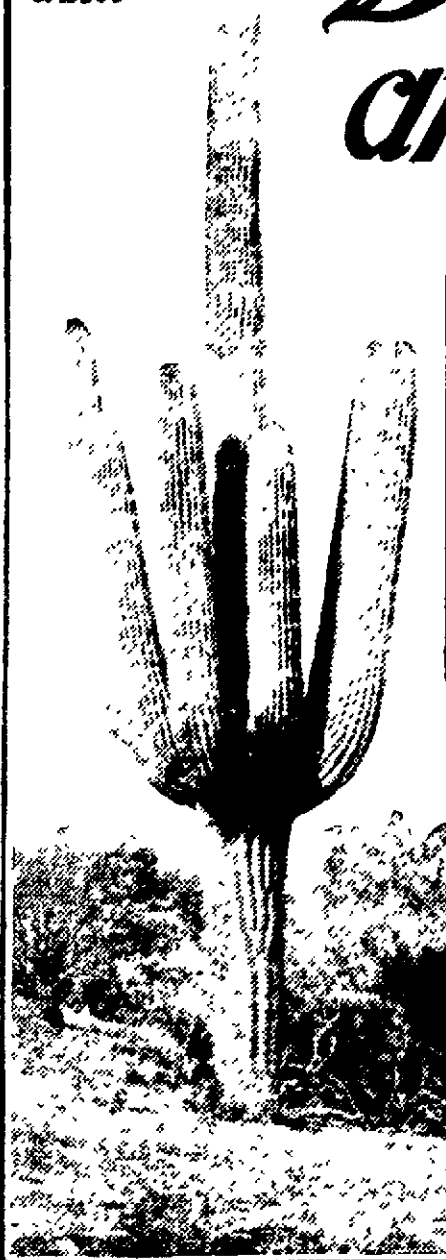
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CACTUS



Deserts of the United States and Mexico

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THE DESERT PLAIN OF LAS VEGAS, NEVADA

wood. Apparently the presence of an excess of gypsum is prejudicial to the growth of the mesquite.

The bottoms among the dunes have a dense vegetation as compared with that of the dunes themselves. It is characterized especially by the presence of a grainy grass (*Bouteloua*), forming almost a turf, and by frequent clumps of *Ephedra* of a grayish purple color at this season and with three-scaled nodes. These bottoms usually show no sign of moisture, but in two places we found water holes, the water so alkaline that the horses would not drink it at the end of their first day's drive.

Probably the most extraordinary product of the Sonora desert, west of Torres, Mex-

Echinocactus was represented by a half-dozen species, of which one, *E. grande*, is undoubtedly the most massive of all the genus, being as much as 8 or 9 feet in height and 30 or even 36 inches in thickness, which, with the many convolutions of its surface makes it a very grotesque feature of the scenery.

E. flavescens forms small beads in clusters, while in *E. robusta* colonies 10 or 15 feet across, making mounds 2 or 3 feet high, include hundreds of heads.

No systematic account of any desert is to be found in which the storage function appears so highly developed and by so many species. Of course all of the cacti exhibit this feature in a very marked degree, and a single plant of *Pilocereus fulviceps* may retain several hundred gallons of water. The large stems of *Yucca*, which is a prominent member of the flora of the slopes,

TUCSON has a climate of a thoroughly desert character, and a flora, including mountains and plain, rich in species and genera. In addition to its situation in the heart

of the desert of Arizona, it is centrally located, both as to position and transportation with reference to the deserts of Texas, Chihuahua, New Mexico, California and Sonora.

The University of Arizona, with its School of Mines and the Arizona agricultural experiment station are located at Tucson.

Not the least of the advantages of Tucson as a center for the activities of the government desert laboratory is the broad minded comprehension of the importance of the purposes of the institution evinced by the citizens, accompanied by an earnest desire to cooperate in its establishment. This appreciation was expressed in the practical form of subsidies of land for the site of the building and to serve as a preserve for desert vegetation, the installation and construction of telephone, light and power connections, and of a road to the site of the laboratory, about two miles from Tucson. This spirit of hearty co-operation has animated every organization in the city, and has enabled the laboratory to gain control of a domain of 860 acres, of the greatest usefulness for general experimental work.

Extending northward for nearly 100 miles from El Paso is the noted Jornada del Muerto (Journey of Death) which has a width of 20 to 40 miles. It formed a portion of the route connecting the earliest settlements along the Rio Grande, and here the traveler was compelled to leave the stream far to the westward in its depths cut inaccessibly canyon and toll for two or three days in the burning heat without water, except such as might be carried. It was for three centuries one of the most menacing and hazardous of the desert journeys to be encountered in the American desert. Recent investigations, however, have shown that the region traversed is in reality a basin, and that water is to be found as in the other deserts within a reasonable distance of the surface.

It is a basin, and lies an equally remarkable desert the basin which is the bed of an ancient lake, and is noted for a great salt and soda flat, a salt and soda flat, and is the most striking of all the "White Sands" of the desert, of about 200 square miles covered with a fine, soft sand rising to a maximum height of 20 feet.

The surface of the dunes is sparkling white, due to the fine condition of the gypsum powder, but a few inches beneath it is of a yellowish or reddish color and is distinctly moist and cool to the touch, even when the air is extremely hot.

The most characteristic plant of the dunes is the prickly pear (*Cylindropuntia*), which occurs in the form of single hemispherical bushes four to eight feet high, the lower branches hugging the sand. The plant grows vigorously, the trunk at or beneath the surface often reaching a diameter of three inches. The binning and protecting effect of this bush is often shown in a striking manner when in the cutting down of an old dune by the wind a column of sand may be seen protected above from the sun by the close covering of the branches and leaves, and the sand in the column itself bound together by the long penetrating roots. One of these columns was about 15 feet high from its base to the summit of the protecting bush and about 8 feet in diameter at the base.

A marked peculiarity of the White Sands is that a cottonwood is occasionally found in the lower dunes, reaching a foot in diameter, but seldom more than 15 feet in height, yet at the same time not a mesquite was seen. The mesquite is a tree requiring less moisture than the cotton-



Echinocactus grande



A remarkable vine
THE GUAREQUI



OASIS OF PALMS IN THE MOUTH OF A CANYON
COLORADO DESERT



PAPAGO INDIAN DRINKING
FROM A CACTUS

wood, is the guarequi (*Iberiveria sonora*), a tendril-bearing plant whose inordinately thickened root and stem base lies gray and half exposed upon the ground beneath some trellising shrub. These tuberous formations may be seen during the dry season lying about wholly unanchored, as the slender roots dry up with the close of the vegetative season, which lasts but a few weeks.

In February, 1902, some of these tubers were taken to the New York Botanical garden, and a large specimen not treated in any way was placed in a museum case, where it has since remained. Annually, at a time fairly coincident with the natural vegetative season in its native habitat, the major vegetative points awaken and send up a few thin shoots, which reach a length of about two feet only, since they do not obtain sunlight. After a period of a few weeks they lie down again and the material in them retreats to the tuber to await another season. Seven periods of activity have thus been displayed by this specimen with no apparent change in its structure or size. It does not seem unreasonable to suppose, therefore, that the guarequi is a storage structure of such great efficiency that water and other material sufficient to meet the needs of the plant for a quarter of a century are held in reserve in its reservoirs.

The morning glory (*Ipomoea arborescens*) is here a tree 20 to 30 feet high, with smooth, chalky gray trunk and branches. During February it is leafless throughout, while its large white flowers open one by one on the ends of the naked branches. From its white bark the tree is sometimes known as palo blanco, and from the gum exuded which exudes from incisions made in it for the purpose of which it is used as incense in religious ceremonies, it is also called palo santo.

One of the striking features of the Tehuacan desert of southern Mexico is the extreme localization or strictness of colonization exhibited by many species, which are found to cover an area of a few square yards, the face of a slope, the crest of a cliff or the floor of a barranca, with no outliers and with the nearest colony perhaps many miles away.

The *Cactaceae* are more abundant here than in any other part of the world yet visited, several of the species being massive forms.

Cylindropuntia macrocephala is a tall species of the massiveness of the saguaro, and like it having a central shaft bearing numbers of branches which are more closely appressed. It was seen only along the cliff near the Rancho San Diego, along the eastern edge of the valley. *Pilocereus fulviceps*, of more general distribution on slopes, has a series of branches, in many instances 40 or 50 in number, densely clustered and arising from a short trunk, which barely rises from the ground before its branches.

function to this purpose to some extent, while the fleshy leaves of *Agave narmorata* and other species and of *Hecia* are essentially storage organs for reserve food and surplus water. Here is also a *Euphorbia* and a *Pedilanthus*, with thick upright cylindrical stems, in which the storage function is made more effective by the possession of a thick milk juice.

As one proceeds to the ancient ruins of Mitla, 35 miles to the southeastward of Oaxaca, the aridity increases until in the vicinity of the hacienda of that name extreme desert conditions are found. The ancient structures here are indicative of a type of civilization characteristic of the desert, in which co-operation or communism was carried to as great lengths as it must have been in the pueblos of the northern deserts in America.

One of the most difficult problems to solve is that of transportation in the desert, and there are extensive areas in American deserts that have not yet been systematically explored by reason of this condition.

A comprehension of the part that water plays in existence and travel in the desert is to be gained only by experience. Some of the native animals, such as mice and other small rodents, have been known to live on hard seeds without green food for periods of several months, or even as long as two or three years, and nothing in their behavior indicated that they ever took liquid in any form.

Deer and peccary are abundant in deserts in Sonora in which the only available supply of open water is to be found in the cacti.

Man and his most constant companion on the deserts of America, the horse, are comparatively poorly equipped against the rigors of the desert. A horseman may go from the morning of one day until some hour of the next in midsummer and not feel his horse will incur serious danger. Experiences of this kind are numerous. If the traveler is afoot, abstinence from water from sunrise to sunset is a serious inconvenience to him, and if he continues his journey the following morning his sufferings may so disturb his mental balance that he may be unable to follow a trail, and by the evening of that day, if he has not come to something drinkable he may not recognize the friendly stream in his way. Instances are not unknown in which sufferers from thirst have forded streams waist deep to wander out on the dry plain to grisly death.

Scouting Indians have long used the bisnaga, and a drink may be obtained in this manner by a skilled operator in five to ten minutes. Some travelers are inclined to look with much disfavor on the liquid so obtained, but it has been used without discomfort by members of expeditions from the desert laboratory. That it is often preferred by Indians to fair water is evidenced by the fact that the Whipple expedition found the Mohaves near the mouth of the Bill Williams river, in 1857, cooking ducks and other birds in the juice of these plants by means of heated stones dropped into the cavity containing the pulp.

RECEIPT FOR JELLY

NOT NECESSARY TO REMOVE
STEMS OF CURRANTS.

Black Currants is Good Throat Remedy and Can Be Used as Beverage
—Don't Peel the Rhubarb, as the Skin Gives it a Good Color.

In making currant jelly it is not necessary to stem the currants. Pick over carefully, removing all leaves and poor fruit, then if gritty or if they have been exposed to the ravages of the disgusting and rapacious currant worm, wash thoroughly and drain in a colander. Transfer to a granite kettle or stone jar set in a large pan two-thirds full of tepid water. Heat slowly, mashing meanwhile with a wooden pestle. As soon as pulpy, which will be in a few moments, pour into the jelly bag, preferably flannel, and suspend over a bowl or earthen jar to drip over night. Do not squeeze, or the jelly will be cloudy. In the morning, measure the juice and allow to each pint of juice a pound of sugar. Turn the sugar on plates and set in the oven to heat through, stirring often to prevent its turning yellow. When the juice has boiled just 20 minutes from the time it commenced to boil—being well skimmed in the meantime—pour in the sugar and stir until it is dissolved—no longer. Boil from two to three minutes, test by pouring a few drops in a cup and exposing to the air to see if it begins to thicken, then pour at once into glasses which have been rolled in hot water. To prevent cracking, keep the glasses, while being filled on a hot damp cloth. Fill to the brim, as the jelly shrinks in cooling.

When white currants are used for the jelly, less sugar will be required, three-quarters of a pound of sugar sufficing for a pint of juice.

Black currant jelly is one of the best household remedies for sore throat. Stem large, ripe black currants, and, after washing, put in the preserving kettle, allowing a cupful of water to each quart of fruit. This is essential, because the black currants are a drier fruit than either the red or white. Mash with a wooden spoon or pestle, then cover and cook until the currants have reached the boiling point. Drain. To each pint of juice allow a half pound of loaf sugar. Stir until well mixed, then cook just ten minutes from the time it begins to boil. Overcooking makes it tough and stringy. Pour in sterilized glasses and cover with paraffin when cold. Black currant jelly is delicious served with game. A teaspoonful dissolved in a glass of cold water makes a refreshing drink for the sick room or can be used for a family beverage on a hot day.

For rhubarb jelly wash the rhubarb; drain it well, but do not peel it, if you wish your jelly to have a fine color. Simply cut it into small pieces, and never mind it if it be stringy. To every pound of rhubarb add one-half of a cupful of water and let it stew slowly in a granite or porcelain pan until the fruit is all in shreds. Then strain it through a cheesecloth and press out all the juice. Let the juice stand till the next day, then carefully pour it off from the sediment. Measure the juice and allow one pint of sugar to one pint of juice. Let the juice simmer ten minutes, or until it begins to thicken on the edge of the pan, then add the sugar, which has been kept hot in the oven, and let the mixture simmer until it jellies on the spoon or when dropped on a cold plate. Remove the scum carefully as it forms, and when ready pour the jelly into glasses, which have been rolled in a shallow pan of hot water and are still standing in it. When the jelly is cold and firm pour melted paraffin over the top. Cover with paper and keep it in a dark room. Be careful not to tilt the glasses or in any way break through the edge of the jelly, which seals the mass to the glass and keeps out the germs as effectually as the paper or paraffin.

Washing Crepe de Chine.

Washing crepe de chine is no more difficult than to wash a frock of colored muslin. If tepid water and good soap are used with care it will come from the laundry as triumphantly as a piece of white linen. Do not let it lie in the water longer than is absolutely necessary, rinse thoroughly, and when half dry press on the wrong side with a medium hot iron. If of a delicate color, the garment must be dried in a shady place and must be placed in a sunless place after pressing.

Pickled Parsnips.

Take nice parsnips, peel them and cut in any shape liked. Boil tender in salt water (not too soft) then drain and put in a gallon jar. Take six sticks of cinnamon, boil in a pint of water for 15 minutes and strain them, add half a pint of good vinegar, a cup of sugar and the peel of half a lemon. Heat this and pour over pickles.

Delicious Pudding.

Here is a very simple and inexpensive one. Into a quart of scalded milk put a cup of sugar, four tablespoonsful of flour and two tablespoons of cocoa and a bit of salt. Stir until it thickens. This is fine with whipped cream.

Tomato Toast.

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"My dear," broke in Mrs. Podkins, "thinking it time she said something to interrupt the quiet, 'I see by the papers that a petrified jaw two yards long has been found in Cornwall.'"

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